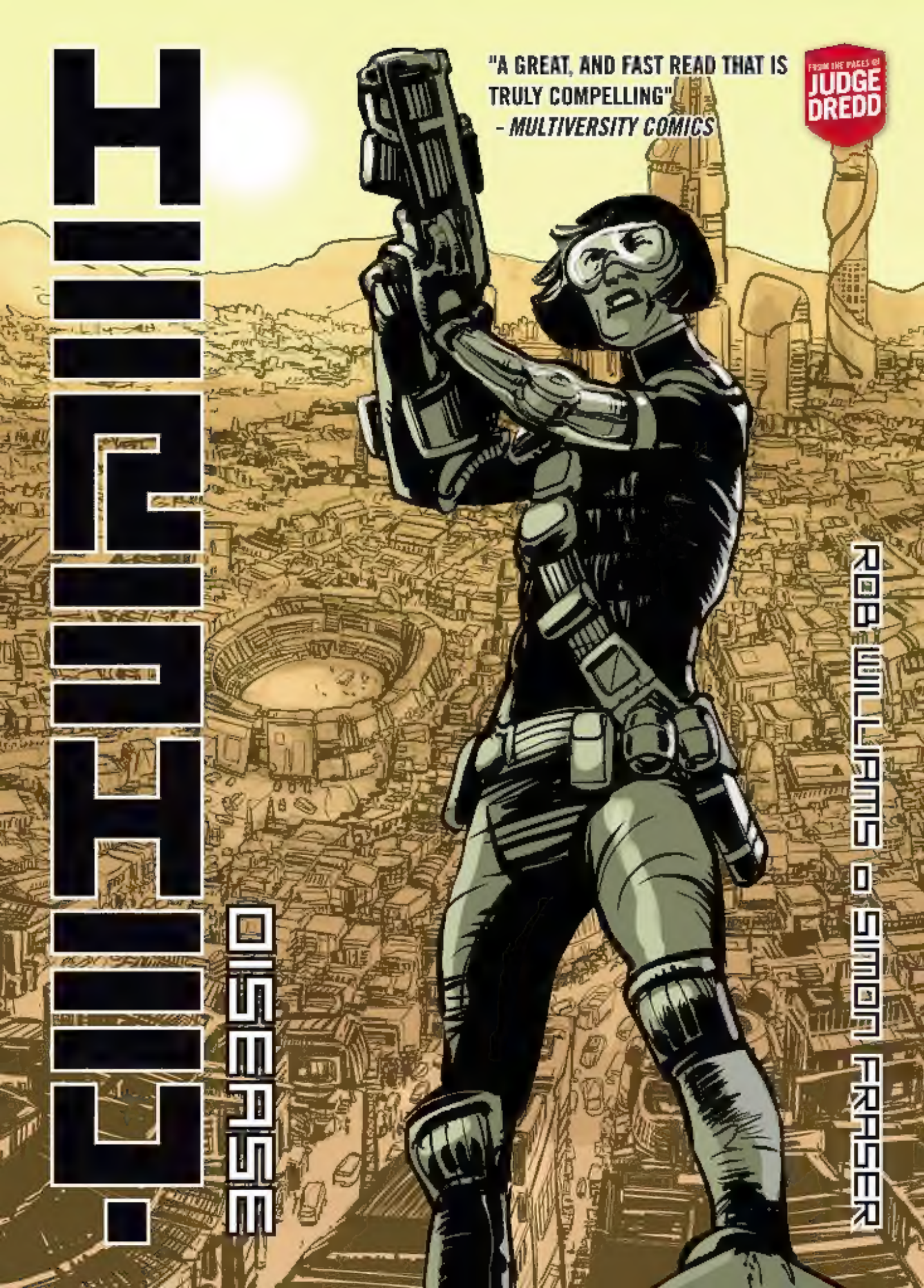
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- MULTIVERSITY COMICS
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SHE IS THE LAW

¡ELLA ES LA LEY!

MEGA-CITY ONE.
A vast metropolis, teeming with crime, home to 160 million citizens and ruled over by the Judges.

The Judges themselves? They answer to Her.

CHIEF JUDGE
BARBARA HERSHEY

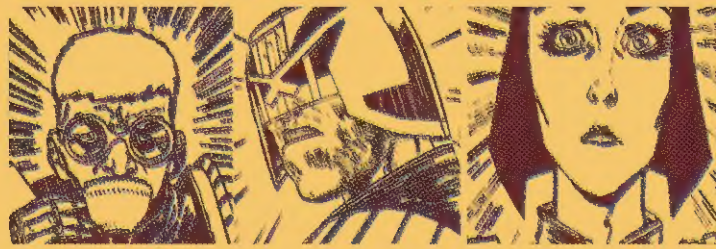
The youngest chief judge in the history of Mega City-One.

Chief Judge was a mantle which had always rested heavily on Hershey's shoulders.

YOU DON'T GET TO THE TOP BY MAKING FRIENDS.

AND WHEN YOU'VE BEEN ON TOP FOR A WHILE, YOU STAY THERE BY MAKING ENEMIES.

Such as JUDGE SMILEY – who manipulated the judges and events of Mega-City One – and beyond - from the shadows for years, or even such as JUDGE DREDD – who took it upon himself to wage a secret war against Smiley without her knowledge. (See JUDGE DREDD: THE SMALL HOUSE).



Now Smiley's dead – taken down by Judge Dredd – but his global network of misery remains, and no one's attempting to dismantle it.

And now after over a decade at the top, Hershey's power is waning and her alliances are fraying. Judges – good judges – like Dredd, no longer trust her, and she can no longer trust them with her secrets.

On top of all this, Hershey's ill. Very ill. Terminally ill.

IN FACT, SHE'S DEAD.

SIDEKICK

DISEASE

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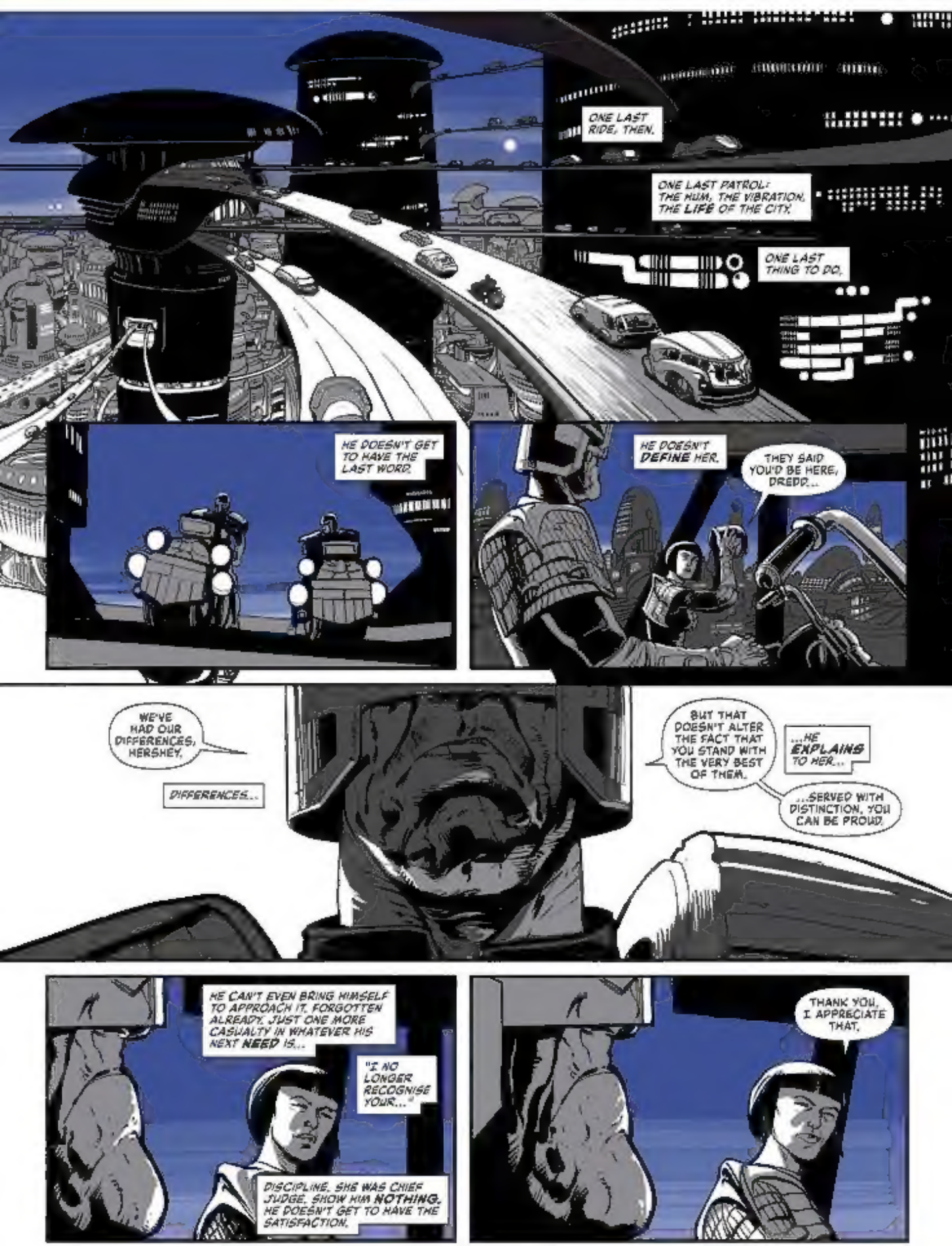
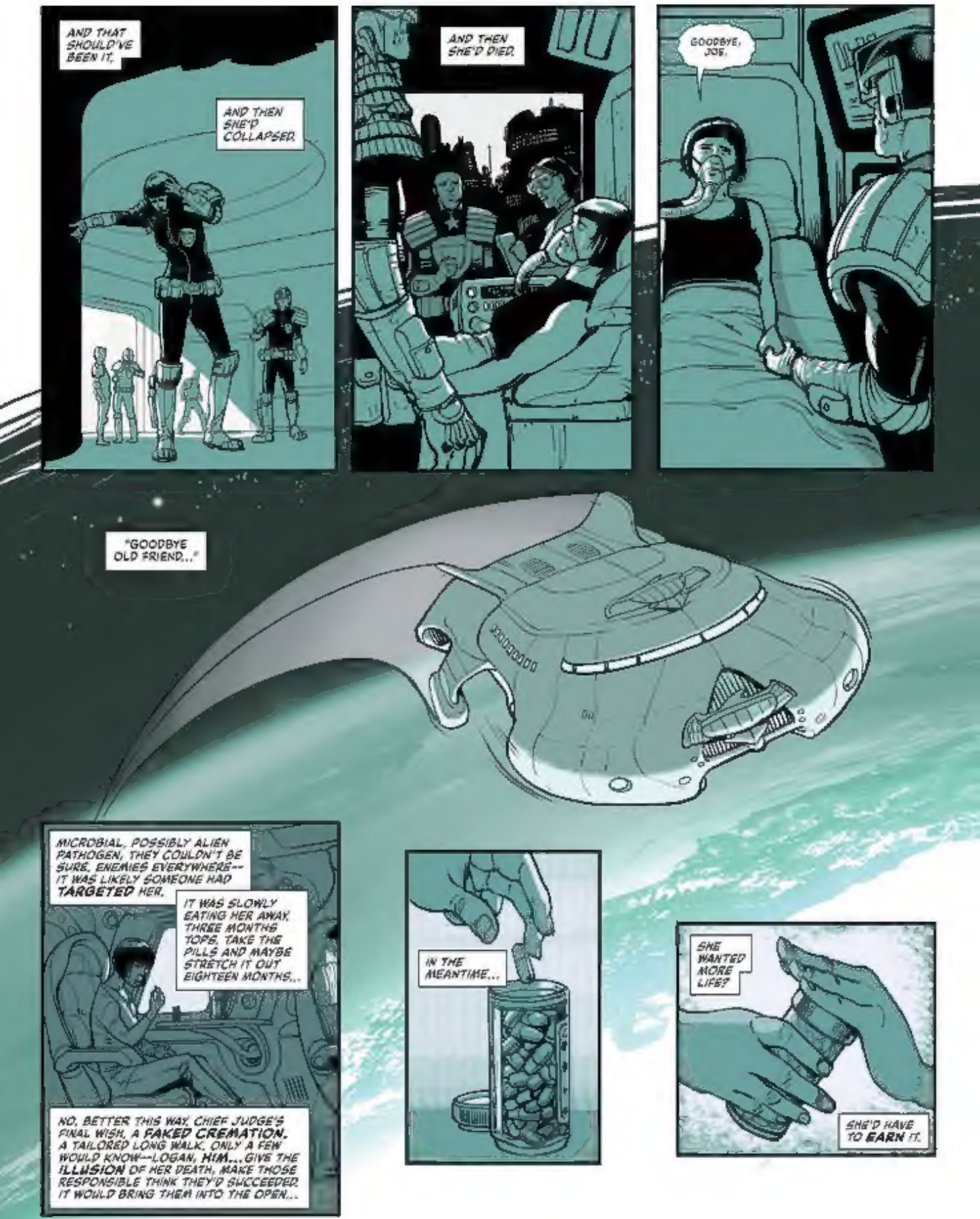
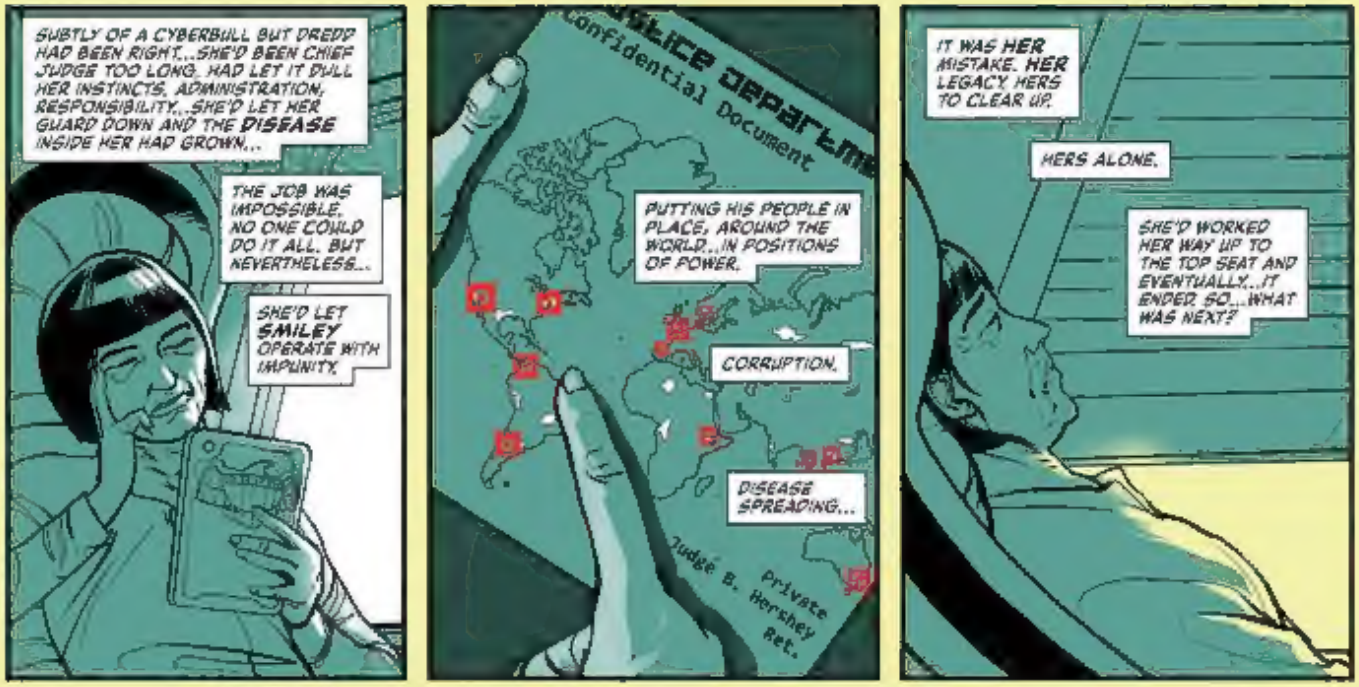
HERSHEY
THAT'S IT.

HOW DO YOU FEEL?
MA'AM? I SAID, HOW DO YOU--
I DON'T KNOW.
DAVIS


ONE LAST RIDE, THEN.
ONE LAST PATROL: THE HUM, THE VIBRATION, THE LIFE OF THE CITY.
ONE LAST THING TO DO.
HE DOESN'T GET TO HAVE THE LAST WORD.
HE DOESN'T DEFINE HER.
THEY SAID YOU'D BE HERE, DREDD...
WE'VE HAD OUR DIFFERENCES, HERSHEY.
DIFFERENCES...
BUT THAT DOESN'T ALTER THE FACT THAT YOU STAND WITH THE VERY BEST OF THEM.
...HE EXPLAINS TO HER...
...SERVED WITH DISTINCTION. YOU CAN BE PROUD.
HE CAN'T EVEN BRING HIMSELF TO APPROACH IT. FORGOTTEN ALREADY. JUST ONE MORE CASUALTY IN WHATEVER HIS NEXT NEED IS...
"I NO LONGER RECOGNISE YOUR..."
DISCIPLINE. SHE WAS CHIEF JUDGE. SHOW HIM NOTHING. HE DOESN'T GET TO HAVE THE SATISFACTION.
THANK YOU, I APPRECIATE THAT.


AND THAT SHOULD'VE BEEN IT.
AND THEN SHE'D COLLAPSED.
AND THEN SHE'D DIED.
GOODBYE, JOE.
"GOODBYE OLD FRIEND..."
MICROBIAL, POSSIBLY ALIEN PATHOGEN, THEY COULDN'T BE SURE. ENEMIES EVERYWHERE--IT WAS LIKELY SOMEONE HAD TARGETED HER.
IT WAS SLOWLY EATING HER AWAY. THREE MONTHS TOPS. TAKE THE PILLS AND MAYBE STRETCH IT OUT EIGHTEEN MONTHS...
NO. BETTER THIS WAY. CHIEF JUDGE'S FINAL WISH, A FAKED CREMATION. A TAILORED LONG WALK. ONLY A FEW WOULD KNOW--LOGAN, HIM... GIVE THE ILLUSION OF HER DEATH. MAKE THOSE RESPONSIBLE THINK THEY'D SUCCEEDED. IT WOULD BRING THEM INTO THE OPEN...
IN THE MEANTIME...
SHE WANTED MORE LIFE?
SHE'D HAVE TO EARN IT.


SUBTLY OF A CYBERBULL BUT DREDD HAD BEEN RIGHT...SHE'D BEEN CHIEF JUDGE TOO LONG. HAD LET IT DULL HER INSTINCTS, ADMINISTRATION, RESPONSIBILITY...SHE'D LET HER GUARD DOWN AND THE DISEASE INSIDE HER HAD GROWN...
THE JOB WAS IMPOSSIBLE. NO ONE COULD DO IT ALL. BUT NEVERTHELESS...
SHE'D LET SMILEY OPERATE WITH IMPUNITY.
Confidential Document
PUTTING HIS PEOPLE IN PLACE, AROUND THE WORLD...IN POSITIONS OF POWER.
CORRUPTION.
DISEASE SPREADING...
Judge B. Hershey Ret.
Private
IT WAS HER MISTAKE. HER LEGACY. HERS TO CLEAR UP.
HERS ALONE.
SHE'D WORKED HER WAY UP TO THE TOP SEAT AND EVENTUALLY...IT ENDED. SO...WHAT WAS NEXT?

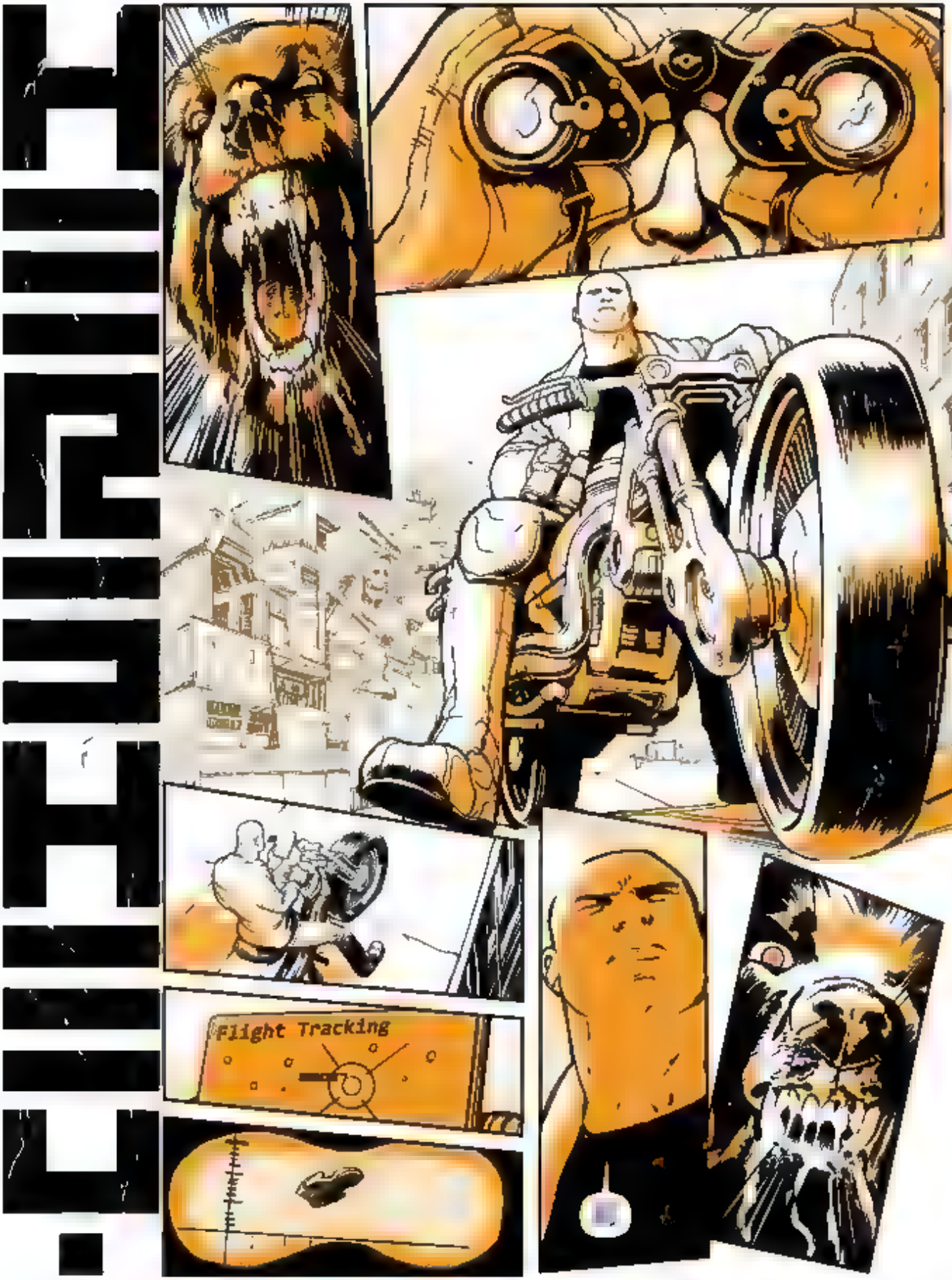
COLOMBIA

13

FORMERLY COLOMBIA

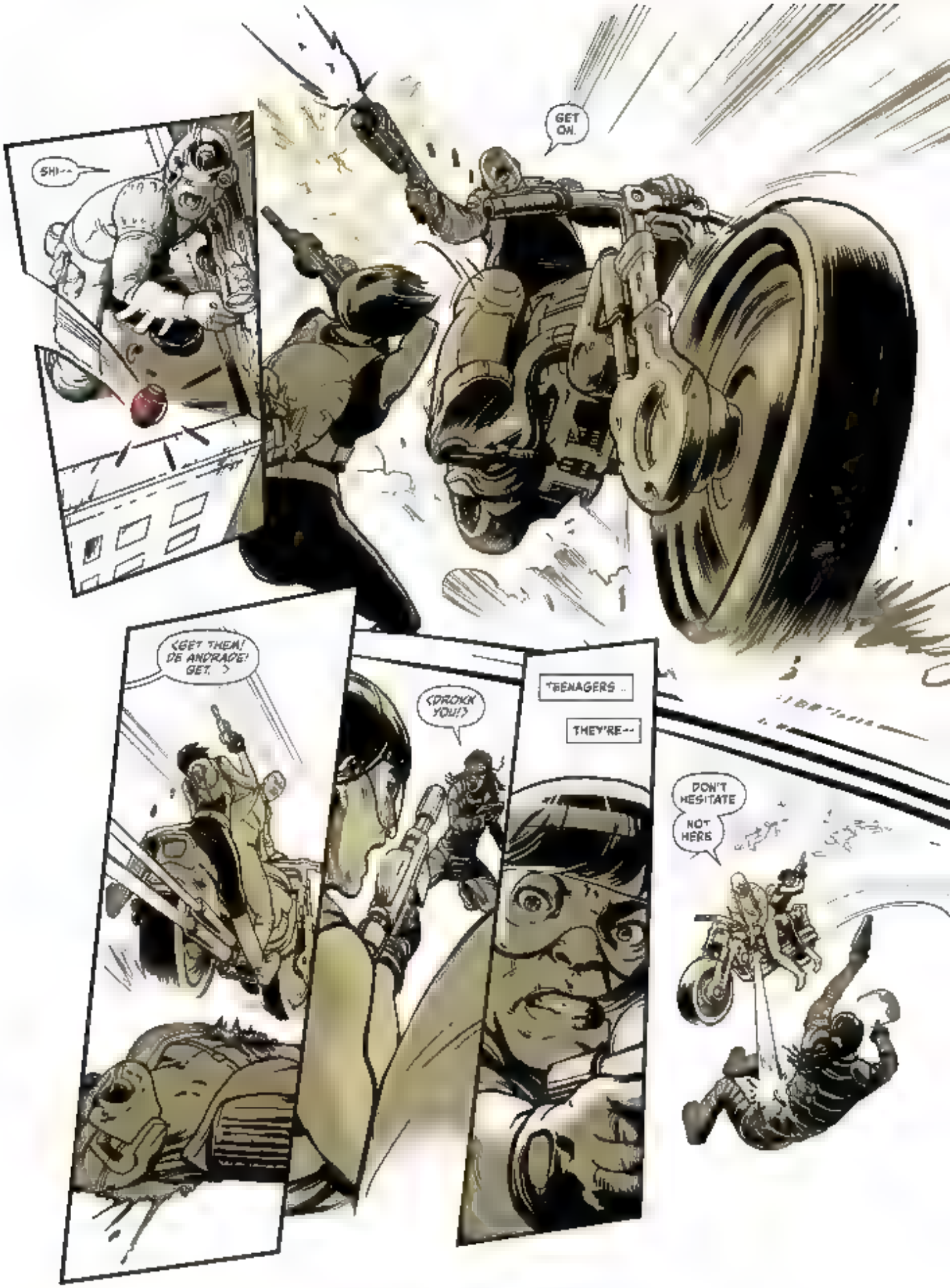
MAYBE NOTHING.

(ASPRILLA, YOU HAVE WORDS?)
(IS IT TRUE?)
(A MEGA-CITY JUDGE IS COMING TO ARREST US ALL.)
(JUST ONE.)


FIGHT
Flight Tracking

UH.. MA'AM?
YOU SURE YOU WANT ME TO JUST LEAVE YOU HERE? IN COMUNA 13?
SHE FEELS
WHAT DOES SHE FEEL.. ?
PASSPORT?

HERE'S MY PASSPORT
AAH--
<GET HER GET HER FROKKING
UNHH
<DEAD BITCH>


SHI--
GET ON.
<GET THEM! DE ANDRADE! GET. >
<DROKK YOU!?
TEENAGERS ..
THEY'RE--
DON'T HESITATE
NOT HERE

(THE BIKES!)
(GET THE DROKKING BIKES!)
DE ANDRADE ? (YOU'RE ALIVE!)
(I'M OK GORILLA
ARE THEY FOLLOWING?
(GO GO!)

WHAT DOES SHE FEEL ..?
HIGH EXPLOSIVE
<DROKK!?>
LIKE SHE'S A JUDGE.

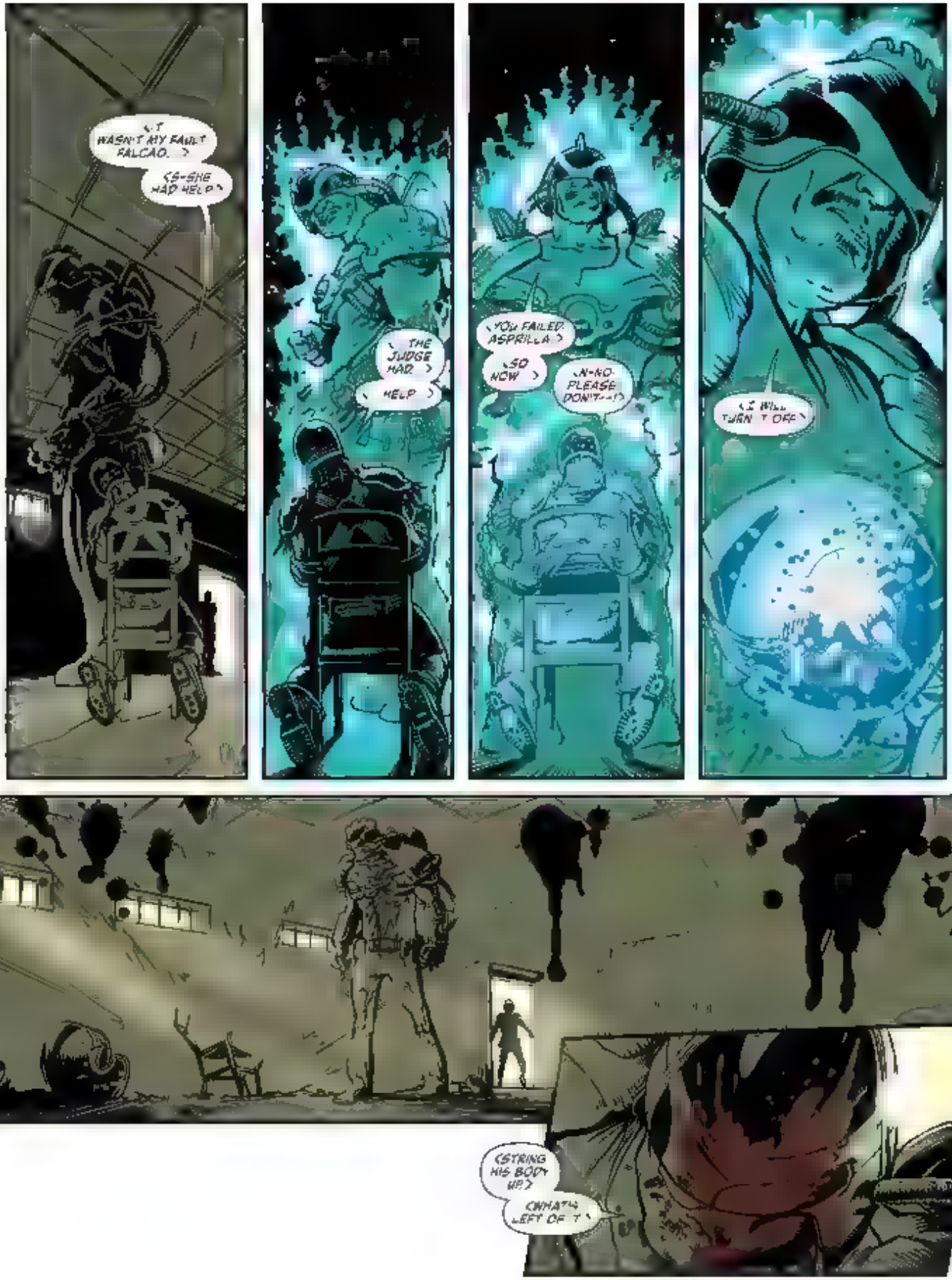
THE END

THERE'LL BE MORE BODIES UP TODAY
THAT'S WHAT HAPPENS. ANY SIGN OF TROUBLE
IT'S WHAT FALCAO DOES
SENDS A MESSAGE.
GETTING A GOOD LOOK?
I'M STILL A JUDGE, RIJKAARD. IN CASE YOU NEED REMINDING?
NO, YOU'RE NOT
NOT ANYMORE
"THERE ARE NO JUDGES HERE.
"YOU'RE IN PAIN. I NOTICED. SUE ME."

NO JUDGES
BUT THERE'S CRIME
I'M DYING
BEFORE I GO I WANT TO CLEAN UP SOME DIRT I SHOULDN'T HAVE ALLOWED TO GET OUT INTO THE WORLD.
ENCELADUS ENERGY. SMILEY SOLD IT TO THE HEAD OF THE JUNGLA CARTEL IN COMUNA 13 SO THEY COULD UNSEAT THE JUDGES.
Classified
Enceladus Energy Signature
IN RETURN FOR WHAT?
'CREDS. PLACE FALCAO IN POWER. FUNNEL DRUG CASH BACK INTO SMILEY'S POCKETS IN MEGA-CITY ONE. FUNDS HE COULD USE WITH AUTONOMY.
'RUN HIS OWN DEPARTMENT FROM INSIDE THE HALL. ANSWER TO NO ONE
"SMILEY'S CONTROL.
"COMUNA 13'S THE GATEHOUSE INTO NORTH AMERICA. ALL THOSE POOR BASTARDS SOUTH OF TEXAS LOOKING NORTH TO THE SHINY MEGA-CITIES?"
HE WANTED TO PLUG THE ROUTE WITH CORPSES. SHUT THE DOOR
STOP THEM COMING UP TO US

JUST THE TWO OF US AGAINST A CARTEL. A CITY.
YOU WANT TO DIE HERE?
DO YOU?
GRUD--

DON'T
GET OFF ME
YOU DIDN'T TELL HER?
FORMER CHIEF JUDGE HERSHEY
I AM DE ANDRADE.
I'M HERE TO HELP YOU.
TO FREE THE PEOPLE OF MY HOME
SHE'S THE ONE YOU SHOT IN THE CHEST, POINT BLANK.
RIJKAARD AND I ARRANGED THAT SO THEIR TRUST IN ME WOULD GROW I WORE A VEST
HELL OF A RISK
EVERYTHING HERE IS RISK
PLEASE
DON'T


I WASN'T MY FAULT FALCAO.
(S-SHE HAD HELP
THE JUDGE HAD
HELP
YOU FAILED, ASPRILLA
SO NOW
N-NO. PLEASE DON'T--!
I WILL TURN IT OFF
(STRING HIS BODY UP)
(WHAT'S LEFT OF IT

LIFE
NO ONE KNEW WHERE FALCAO WAS.
SO THEY STARTED HITTING THE DEALERS.
ONE BY ONE.
LITTLE STEPS.
TO PISS HIM OFF
HEY

LEAVE HIM ALONE
UNGGH

AAAH!
AAAHH!
GWK'
YOU WEAR A JUDGE'S HELMET?
YOU DON'T DESERVE IT
<DIE, YOU DROKKING BITCH!>
AAH--!
<KILL HER, DE ANDRADE!>

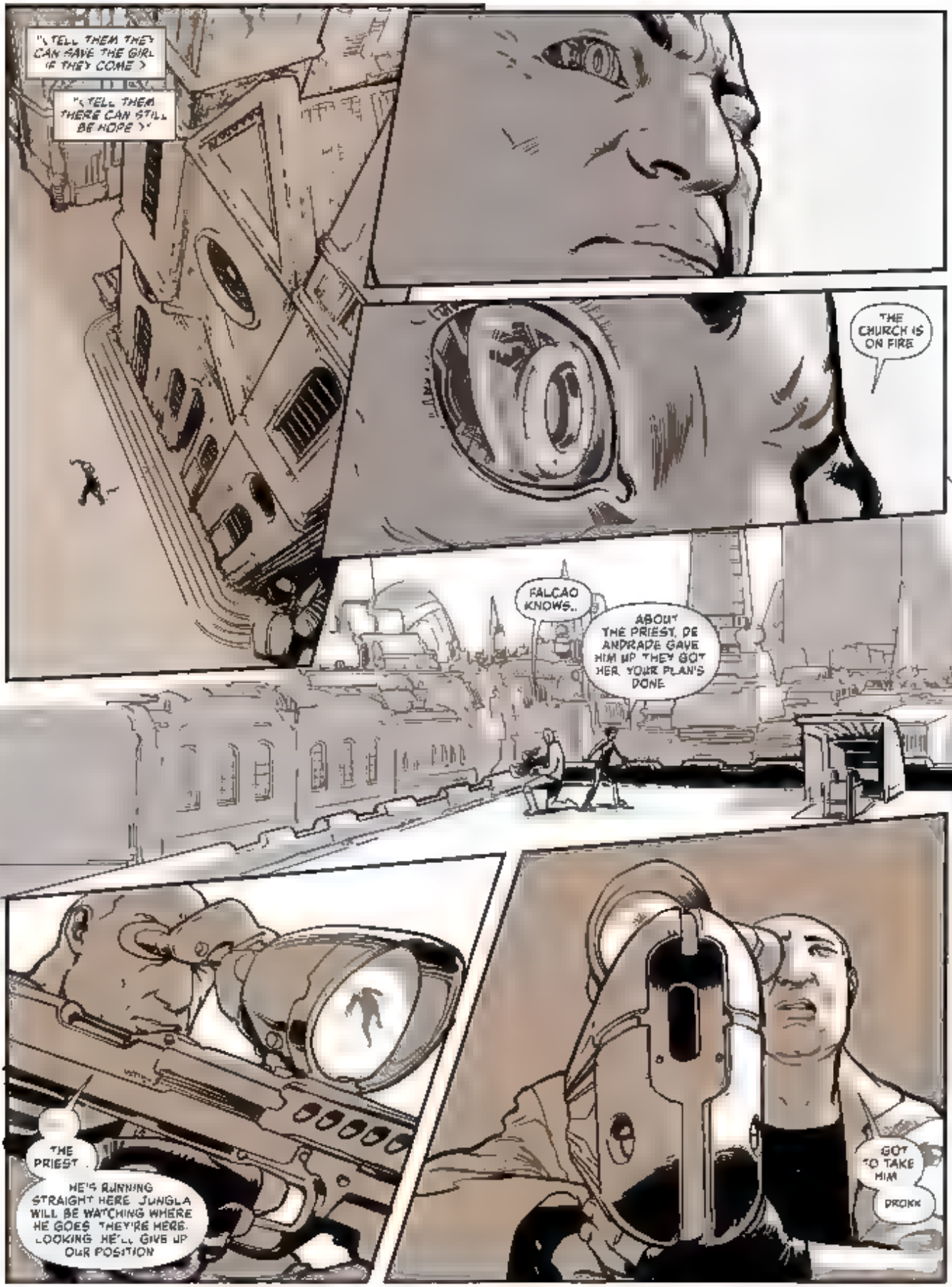
AAH!
NNH!
SIT DOWN LITTLE GIRL
I'M TAKING ALL FALCAO'S FUNDS
TELL HIM THAT
HFF HFF
HFF HFF
AAH---

SCARED THE DRONK OUT OF ME WHO'S THE PRIEST?
A FRIEND OF DE ANDRADE'S. HE HIDES PEOPLE
DE ANDRADE CUT ME NEARLY SLICED ME IN TWO
SHE'S GOOD
GOOD WON'T BE ENOUGH
YOU EVER THINK ABOUT IT?
SENDING A YOUNG GIRL TO HER DEATH?
I WAS CHIEF JUDGE
I'VE SENT A LOT OF PEOPLE TO HEIR DEATH
NICE STASH
HE'LL BE ANGRY NOW

*ANGRY ENOUGH TO DO SOMETHING STUPID.
(WHERE ARE WE?)
(CAN I TAKE THE BLINDFOLD OFF?)
(AC)
HEH HEH
E. FALCAO
(TELL ME ABOUT THE JUDGE)

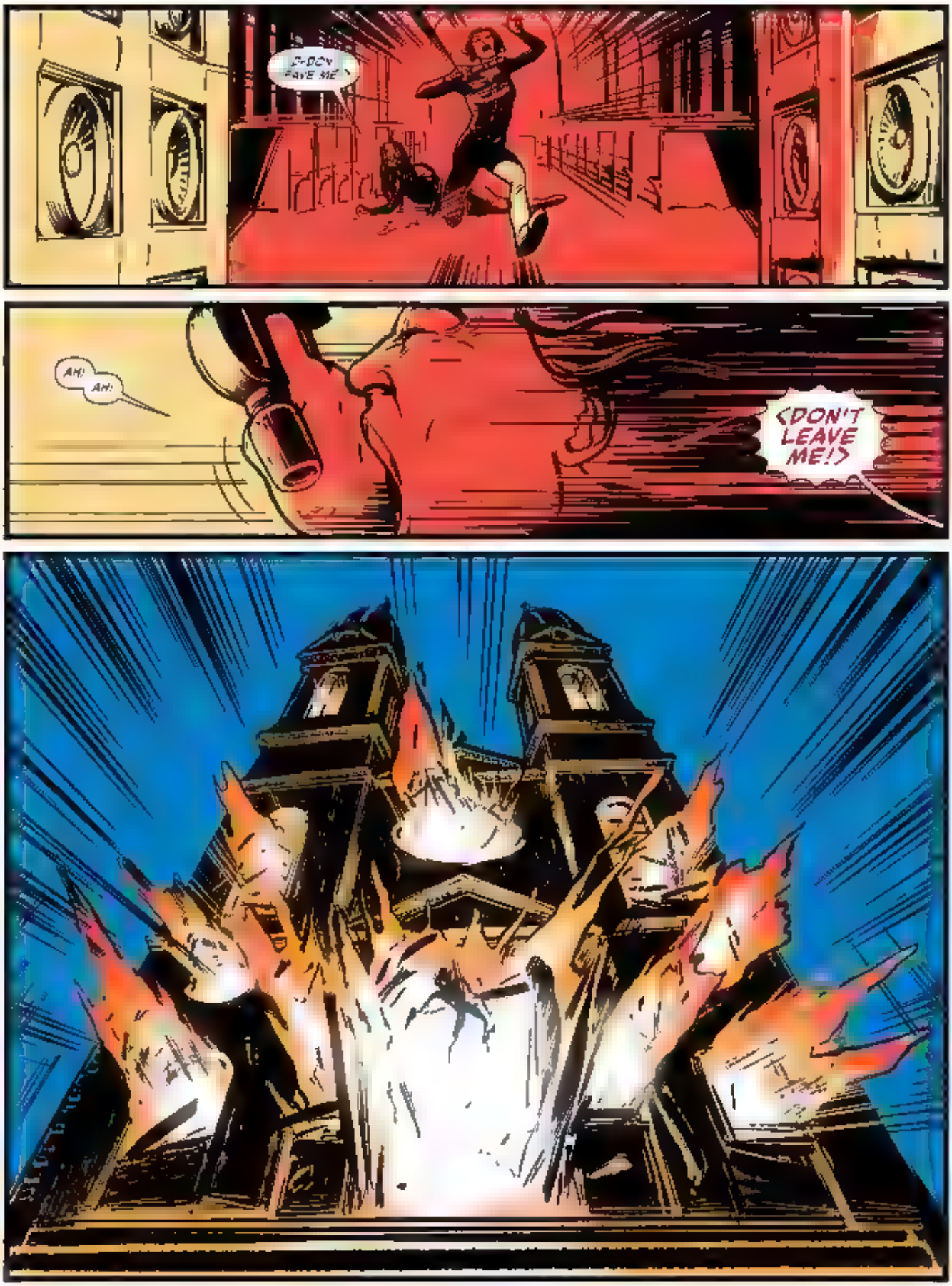
SHE'D DIED.
SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO.
AAAH--!
ALCAO

〈FATHER YOU HIDE PEOPLE I AM TOLD〉
〈YOU HIDE THE PEOPLE WHO STEAL FROM ME〉
〈DE ANDRADE TOLD ME THIS.〉
〈I REACHED INSIDE HER HEAD AND SHE TOLD ME MANY THINGS.〉
〈SHE WAS YOUR HOPE, THIS GIRL.〉
〈I HAVE SEEN GRUD, FATHER.〉
〈THIS ENERGY I WIELD OPENS SO MANY DOORS.〉
〈YES.〉
〈RUN NOW AND TELL THOSE WHO STEAL FROM ME THAT I AM HERE AND I AM ALONE.〉
〈TELL THEM TO COME HERE IF THEY WISH TO KILL ME〉
〈I THINK I AM GRUD OR AM I THE DEVIL?〉
〈AM I MERCIFUL.〉


"TELL THEM THEY CAN HAVE THE GIRL IF THEY COME"
"TELL THEM THERE CAN STILL BE HOPE"
THE CHURCH IS ON FIRE
FALCAO KNOWS..
ABOUT THE PRIEST, DE ANDRADE GAVE HIM UP THEY GOT HER. YOUR PLAN'S DONE
THE PRIEST..
HE'S RUNNING STRAIGHT HERE. JUNGLA WILL BE WATCHING WHERE HE GOES. THEY'RE HERE. LOOKING. HE'LL GIVE UP OUR POSITION
GOT TO TAKE HIM
PROKK

WE DON'T KILL THE INNOCENT
YOU TALK LIKE YOU'RE STILL A JUDGE
YOU GO AND YOU'LL DIE! IS THAT WHAT YOU WANT?
THIS ISN'T MEGA-CITY ONE
YOU'RE NOT THE SAME PERSON
HE
HE CAME. HE
IT'S OKAY FATHER
IT'S OKAY TO RUN

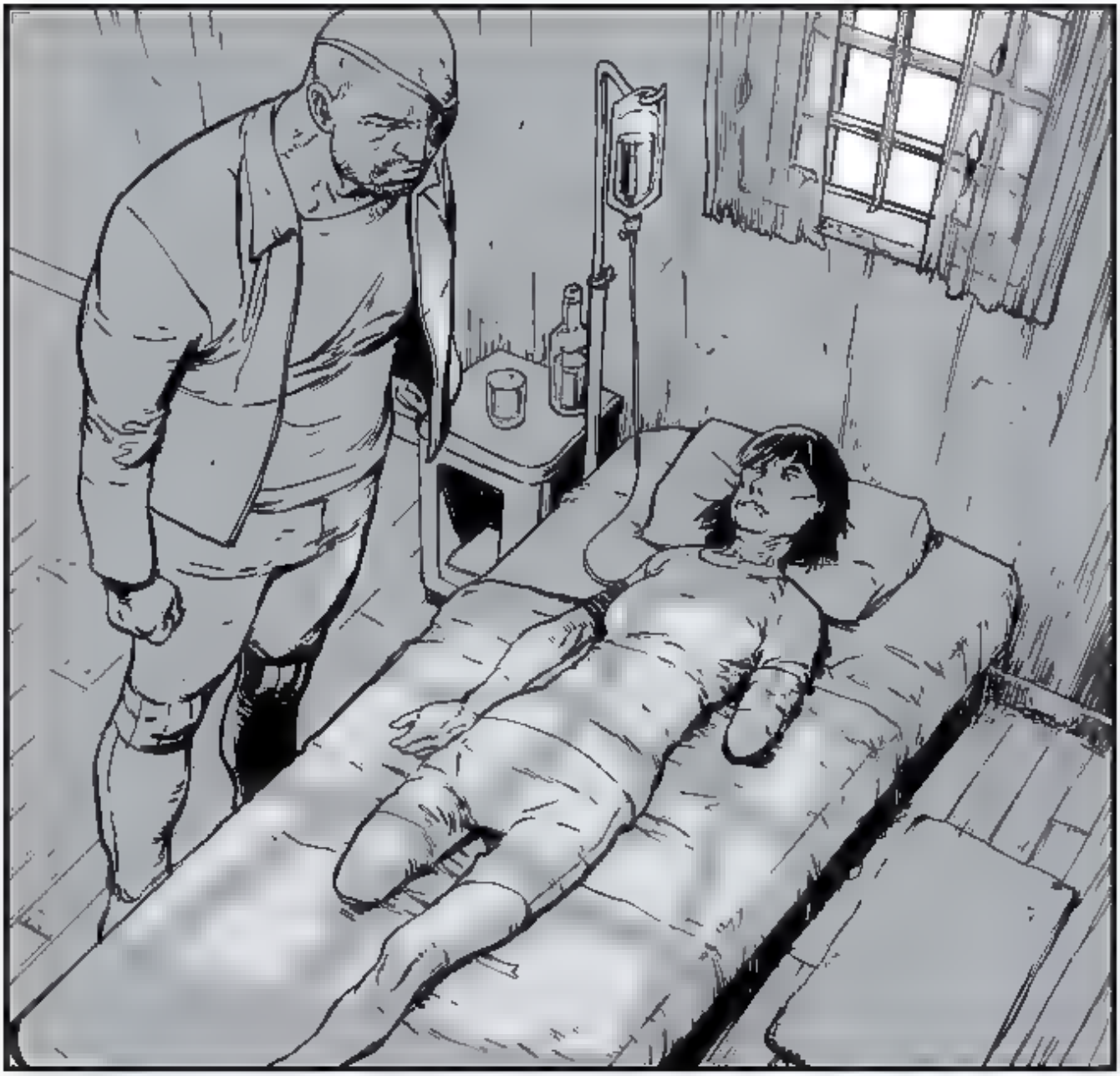
DE ANDRADE?
CAN YOU GET UP? WE NEED TO GET OUT OF HERE NOW.
HE CAN REACH INSIDE THINGS.
HE
SKUFF SKOFF
HE PUT SOMETHING INSIDE ME
OH GRU
I THINK HE PUT A BOMB INSIDE ME


(DON'T LEAVE ME!)
AH!
AH!
(DON'T LEAVE ME!)

SHE DIDN'T KNOW.
HOW SHE COULD PUT HERSELF BACK TOGETHER

NNEF
SHE CAME HERE TO
...
<GET THEM! DROKKING GET THEM!>
GO.
YAAAHH!
AAH!
.DIE

WEAR THE BADGE LONG ENOUGH, IT'S LIKE ENCLOSING YOURSELF IN A SUIT OF ARMOUR
STAY IN THERE LONG ENOUGH AND YOU BECOME IT.
WHEN YOUR SHIFT'S DONE, AND THEY OPEN THAT SUIT UP TO RELEASE YOU...
...THERE'S NOTHING LEFT INSIDE.
YOU YOU NEED HELP
I GOTTA
I GOTTA HELP YOU
MAAM ?
CAN YOU HEAR ME?
HERSHEY
HERSHEY?
YOU'RE AWAKE
"CAN YOU HEAR ME?



TAKE THE DAMN PILL

YOU CAME BACK. I WASN'T SURE YOU WOULD.
AND YOU'RE STILL ALIVE.
DOC GOT YOU TO TAKE THE PILLS?
I TOOK THEM.
YOU WERE STUPID. YOU RAN INTO THAT PLACE LIKE A ROOKIE. THERE WAS NO WAY TO SAVE DE ANDRADE AND THE PRIEST ONCE WE WERE BUSTED. YOU KNEW THAT
YOU RAN INTO THAT CHURCH BECAUSE YOU WANT TO DIE AND YOU'D GET THOSE BASTARDS TO DO IT FOR YOU BECAUSE YOU'RE TOO SCARED TO DO IT YOURSELF.
AND YOU DAMN NEAR GOT YOUR WISH
I DON'T WANT TO DIE.
NOT ANY MORE

WHAT DO YOU WANT?
GOING TO TELL ME WHAT'S IN THAT BRIEFCASE?
WHAT DO YOU WANT, HERSHEY?
I CAME HERE BECAUSE I WAS EXHAUSTED. I WAS DYING. I'D BEEN A JUDGE MY WHOLE LIFE, AND THAT LIFE WAS OVER.
BECAUSE THE OFFICE HAD DRAINED ME OF ANYTHING WORTHWHILE ANYTHING SACRED.
BEING A JUDGE. IF YOU SURVIVE LONG ENOUGH YOU'RE LIKE SOME BROKEN WAR VET. A VET WHO'D FOUGHT A NEW WAR EVERY DAY.
I CAME HERE EMPTY
LOOKING TO TAKE IN THE PERP BECAUSE THAT'S ALL I'VE EVER KNOWN.
FALCAO TORTURED THAT GOOD YOUNG GIRL, PUT A BOMB INSIDE HER AND BLEW HER TO PIECES. I SAW HOW SCARED SHE WAS.
THEN HE TOOK MY ARM AND HE TOOK MY LEG
HE'S MURDERED SO MANY PEOPLE
SO NOW I AM GOING TO KILL HIM

I KNOW WHAT I AM
THIS POWER THAT THE MEGA-CITY JUDGE- SMILEY- GAVE ME
THIS "ENCELADUS ENERGY"
I DO NOT CARE WHERE IT COMES FROM
IT OPENS DOORS
THAT IS ALL THAT MATTERS.
COMUNA 13, YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT I HAD TO DO TO CONTROL THIS PLACE. BUT EVEN WHEN I SUCCEEDED, WHAT I COULD NOT SEE UNTIL NOW:
I DID NOT CONTROL IT
IT CONTROLLED ME.

IT TRAPPED ME
I WAS BORN HERE LIKE YOU.
FALCAO!
THEY ARE HERE!
I'M LIKE CAN
TRANSFORM

(THE CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA CARTEL HAVE ALWAYS LOOKED DOWN ON US, REFUSED OUR OFFERS, WHY DO THEY COME TO US NOW?)
(BECAUSE I HAVE SOMETHING THEY WANT)
(I WILL SHARE THE ENCELADUS ENERGY WITH THEM, THEY WILL OPEN THEIR TRADE ROUTES TO ME. FOR THEM THERE WILL BE A HEAVY)
(PRICE)
"TOOK HIM A WHILE BUT YOU WERE RIGHT FALCAO'S PUT OUT FEELERS TO OTHER CRIME FAMILIES INTERNATIONALLY, WANTS TO EXPAND HIS HORIZONS SAYS HE HAS A 'GREAT POWER' TO OFFER
"WALLY SQUAD OPERATIVE IN BARRANQUILLA HAS THE PLACE AND A TIME FOR A MEET
GOOD
DON'T FORGET
DON'T FORGET WHAT
WHO YOU ARE
THAT'S RICH.

COMING FROM YOU.
HEF!
HERSNEY. IT'S COMING DOWN. YOU IN POSITION?
T'S NOT GOING TO HIT ME
I THINK WE'RE GOING TO GET LUCKY HERE
^BUT FALCAO ISN'T^

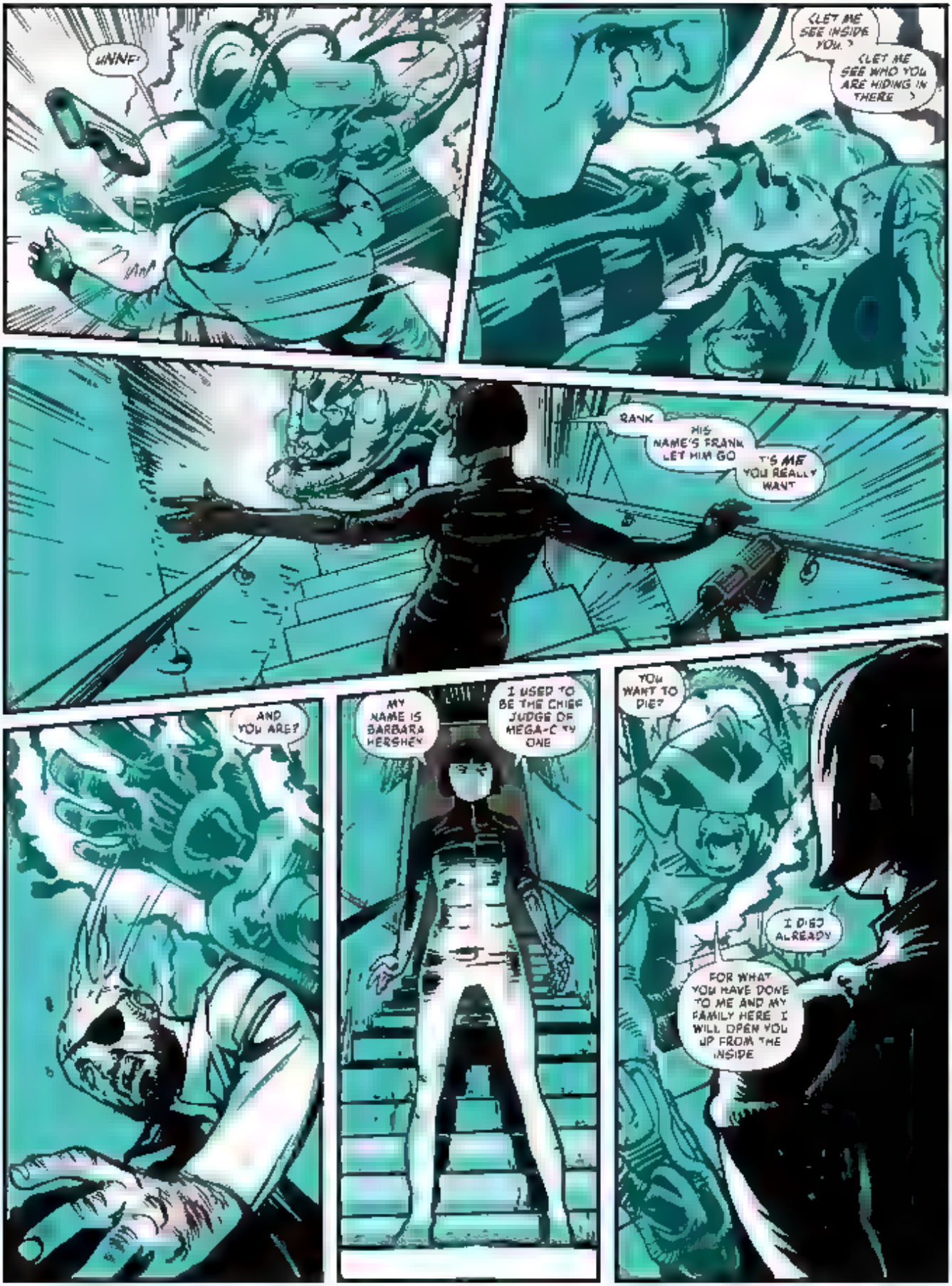
JUNGLA JUDGES OF COMUNA 13.. HEAR ME NOW!
FOR YOUR INNUMERABLE CRIMES AGAINST THE INNOCENT PEOPLE OF THIS CITY.
...I SENTENCE YOU TO DEATH!
AAH!
I SURRENDER

I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE SAYING
HERSHEY!
<FOR THIS,
I WILL OPEN NEW DOORS OF PAIN IN YOU>

SHE REMEMBERS THE
RST TIME SHE MET HIM
CE IT WAS YESTERDAY
I DON'T
KNOW YOU
BUT I HAVE MET SOME OF OUR YOUNGER CROP OF JUDGES AND I AM NOT IMPRESSED BY WHAT I'VE SEEN
TEXAS CITY
YOU'LL PULL YOUR WEIGHT OR YOU CAN BET YOU'LL HEAR FROM ME
"YOU'LL HEAR FROM ME"
NO
HARD NOT
WORDS OF
THAT HANG

DON'T KNOW YOU
HE DIDN'T DEFINE HER
HE DIDN'T GET TO HAVE THE LAST WORD
<KILL YOU!>
<RIP YOU TO PIECES!>

(MEGA-CITY JUDGE! YOU COME HERE TO ARREST ME?)
(TO HOLD ME TO YOUR LAW?)
(YOUR LAWS DO NOT HOLD HERE!)
(THERE IS NO STRUCTURE)
(THERE IS NO)
STRUCTURE
YES
MADNESS


UNNF!
<LET ME SEE INSIDE YOU.>
<LET ME SEE WHO YOU ARE HIDING IN THERE>
RANK
HIS NAME'S FRANK LET HIM GO
IT'S ME YOU REALLY WANT
AND YOU ARE?
MY NAME IS BARBARA HERSHEY
I USED TO BE THE CHIEF JUDGE OF MEGA-CITY ONE
YOU WANT TO DIE?
I DIED ALREADY
FOR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE TO ME AND MY FAMILY HERE I WILL OPEN YOU UP FROM THE INSIDE

BY USING THE ENCELADUS ENERGY THAT SMILEY GAVE YOU?
SENTENCE HIM
YOU'RE STILL A JUDGE
THE SAME ENCELADUS ENERGY BUILT INTO THIS HAND YOU GAVE ME
THIS
DOES NOT BELONG TO YOU

HOW DO YOU FEEL?
I DON KNOW.

BRUTAL

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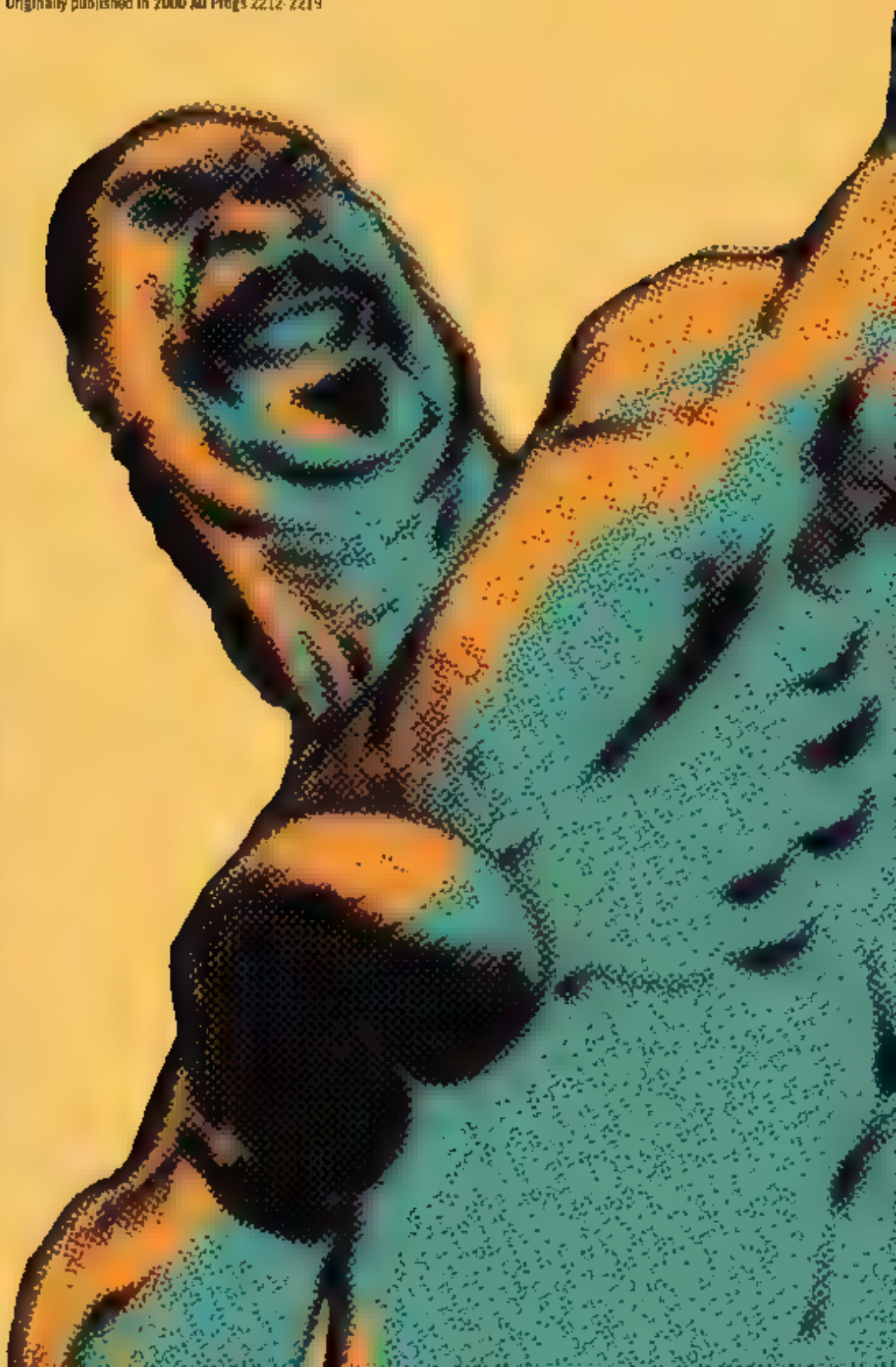
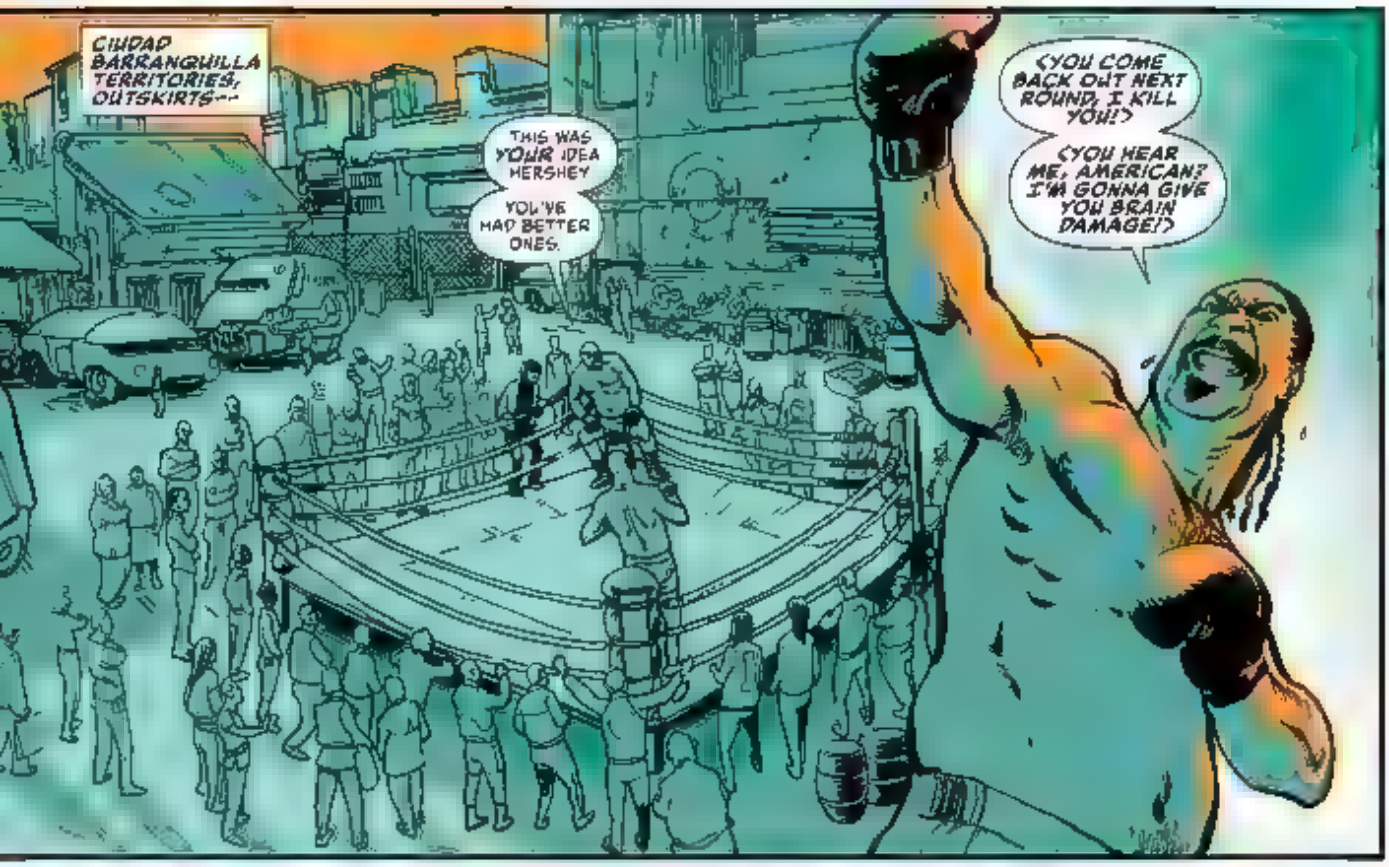


THE RING
YOU TRYING TO GET KILLED IN THERE?


CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA TERRITORIES, OUTSKIRTS---
THIS WAS YOUR IDEA HERSHEY
YOU'VE HAD BETTER ONES.
<YOU COME BACK OUT NEXT ROUND, I KILL YOU!>
<YOU HEAR ME, AMERICAN? I'M GONNA GIVE YOU BRAIN DAMAGE!>

WHAT DID HE SAY?
HE'S VERY KEEN TO DAMAGE YOUR BRAIN. SOMETHING THAT YOU'RE HELLBENT ON ALLOWING HIM TO DO.
'COS I'M NOT A TRAINED BOXER AND THAT LUNATIC IS.

YOU'RE A TRAINED MEGA-CITY JUDGE
YOU'VE BEEN WALLY SQUAD FOR LONGER THAN EITHER OF US CAN REMEMBER.
STOP DROKKING ABOUT FRANK--

THAT'S NOT MY NAME
RIJKAARD MY NAME IS RIJKAARD

OF COURSE

IF WE'RE GOING TO GET INTO BANANA CITY VIA THESE BOXING BOUTS TO GET TO EDU
YOU'RE MAD. THE CARTEL MIGHT HAVE A PASSION FOR BOXING BUT THEY PROTECT THEIR GAMES. HIGH SECURITY THOSE PILLS HAVE SENT YOU CRAZY--
'NO, FRANK. I'M NOT THE CRAZY ONE
"THIS IS CARTEL COUNTRY. WE LOSE HERE THEY KILL ALL OF US
YOU'VE BEEN TRYING TO FIND WAYS TO DIE SINCE YOU LEFT MEGA-CITY ONE.
THE DISEASE IS STILL ROTTING YOU. I MEAN.
GIVE ME ONE REASON WHY EITHER OF US SHOULD STAY ALIVE?
WHO'S GOING TO LOOK AFTER THE DOG WITHOUT US?
SHIT

STAY
THERE'S A GOOD DOG
THERE'S A GOOD JOE
DIRTY
WHA
DIRTY!
DOT

HEY! HEY, LADY! NO. WE DON'T DO THAT!
WHAT?
WE DO THIS CLEAN! JUST 'COS YOU'RE FIGHTER'S LOSING YOU DON'T TELL HIM TO DO NO DIRTY TRICKS. YOU BETTER NOT HAVE JUICED THOSE GLOVES!
THIS IS A MISUNDER-STANDING. IT'S HIS--
NO MISUNDER-STANDING. YOUR GUY'S A BUM AND YOU'RE GONNA LOSE YOUR DEPOSIT
LOOK. CAN WE GO TO YOUR OFFICE TO DISCUSS THIS?
SURE WE CAN. BUT HE GETS TO WATCH
AND HE'S ARMED. JUNIINO IS NOT STUPID.
DIRTY FRANK!
YOU HEAR ME? ENOUGH OF THE CRAP!
YOU'RE DIRTY FRANK!
DIRTY!
FRANK!
SHUT UP.

SHUT UP.
WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?
KNOCK HIM DROKKING DOWN!
HURT HIM!
SO WHO DO WE FIGHT NEXT JUNINHO?
GRRRR

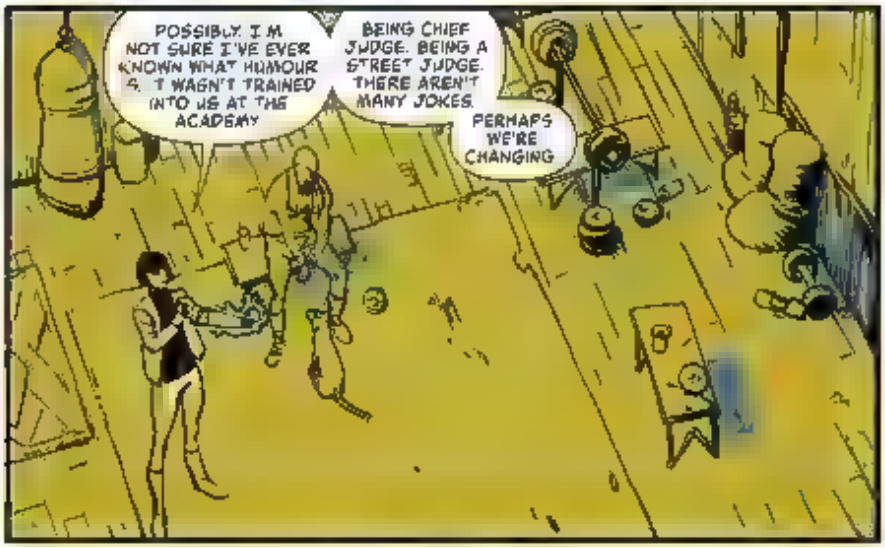
HIT ME.
HARDER.
I'LL KILL YOU!
YOU'LL PAY FOR THAT! YOU HEAR ME? YOU'RE GOING TO BLEED! ALL OF YOU.
NO, GOD,
YOU WILL.

CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA --
<GOOD MORNING >
<MR EDU, MISS ZAGOLLA, IT IS A GREAT PLEASURE TO HAVE YOU BOTH ON BOARD THE EMPRESS TODAY NU-CUBA IS ONLY A FEW HOURS AWAY. >
<THANK YOU. THERE IS A CHANGE OF PLAN. A SMALL BUSINESS ISSUE >
<MISS ZAGOLLA WILL BE STAYING HERE >
<YOU'RE IN CHARGE NOW, MY BABY >
<ALWAYS.>
<I'LL BE BACK IN A FEW DAYS. THIS "EL DEMONIO" HEAVY-WEIGHT SHOWS GREAT PROMISE. YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO ABOUT JUNIOR?>
<I'LL HAVE HIS HEAD AND HANDS WAITING FOR YOU IN A CHIC HATBOX WHEN YOU RETURN.>
<THERE'S A GOOD GIRL.>

WHAT?
WHAT DO YOU WANT
HE'S BEGGING THAT'S WHAT THEY DO
BAD DOG

YOU NEED TO TRAIN
MY FACE ST LL HURTS.
YOUR MODELLING CAREER MIGHT BE OVER. THAT'S TRUE.

IS THA RUMOUR?


POSSIBLY. I M NOT SURE I'VE EVER KNOWN WHAT HUMOUR S. T WASN'T TRAINED INTO US AT THE ACADEMY
BEING CHIEF JUDGE. BEING A STREET JUDGE. THERE AREN'T MANY JOKES.
PERHAPS WE'RE CHANGING

TRAIN. THE NEXT FIGHT WILL BE HARDER IF WE'RE TO GET INTO THE BARRANQUILLA BOUTS, TO GET CLOSE TO EDU
YOU CAN'T GET US ON A BILL. THE PROMOTER JUNINHO WON'T ALLOW A TOTAL OUTSIDER

I'M GOING NOW TO CONVINCE HIM
HOW? HE'S CARTEL. THEY ALL ARE
THIS S INSANITY, HERSHEY. I MIGHT WIN ONE FIGHT BUT I CAN T GET TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP BOUTS. I'M NOT A BOXER

PLAY THE ROLE GRUD KNOWS YOU'VE DONE THAT ENOUGH IN YOUR LIFE
YOU'RE WALLY SQUAD.

WHY DID YOU BRING ME, GRUDDAMMIT!
WHY DIDN'T YOU JUST LET ME DIE IN THE GRAND HALL"
WASN'T THAT ENOUGH, HERSHEY?
I SHOT MYSELF TO SAVE DREDD TO STOP SMILEY.
"FRANK."
BULLSHIT
YOU DID IT BECAUSE YOU FELT YOU DESERVED IT.
FOR MURDERING SAM
FOR THAT AMILY IN THE SOV CABIN.
WELL, YOUR PUNISHMENT SN'T OVER
YOU'RE A JUDGE YOU DON'T GET TO DIE WITHOUT MY PERMUSSION
AND YOU DON'T GET TO BE SOMEBODY NEW. NONE OF US DO

OKAY, OKAY, I CAME
I ADMIT, YOUR BOY HAS A PUNCH BUT I STILL DON'T THINK HE HAS WHAT IT--
TAKES
SHIT! D-DON'T!
WHAT? WHAT DO YOU WANT?
EDU.
I'M GOING TO KILL YOUR CARTEL.

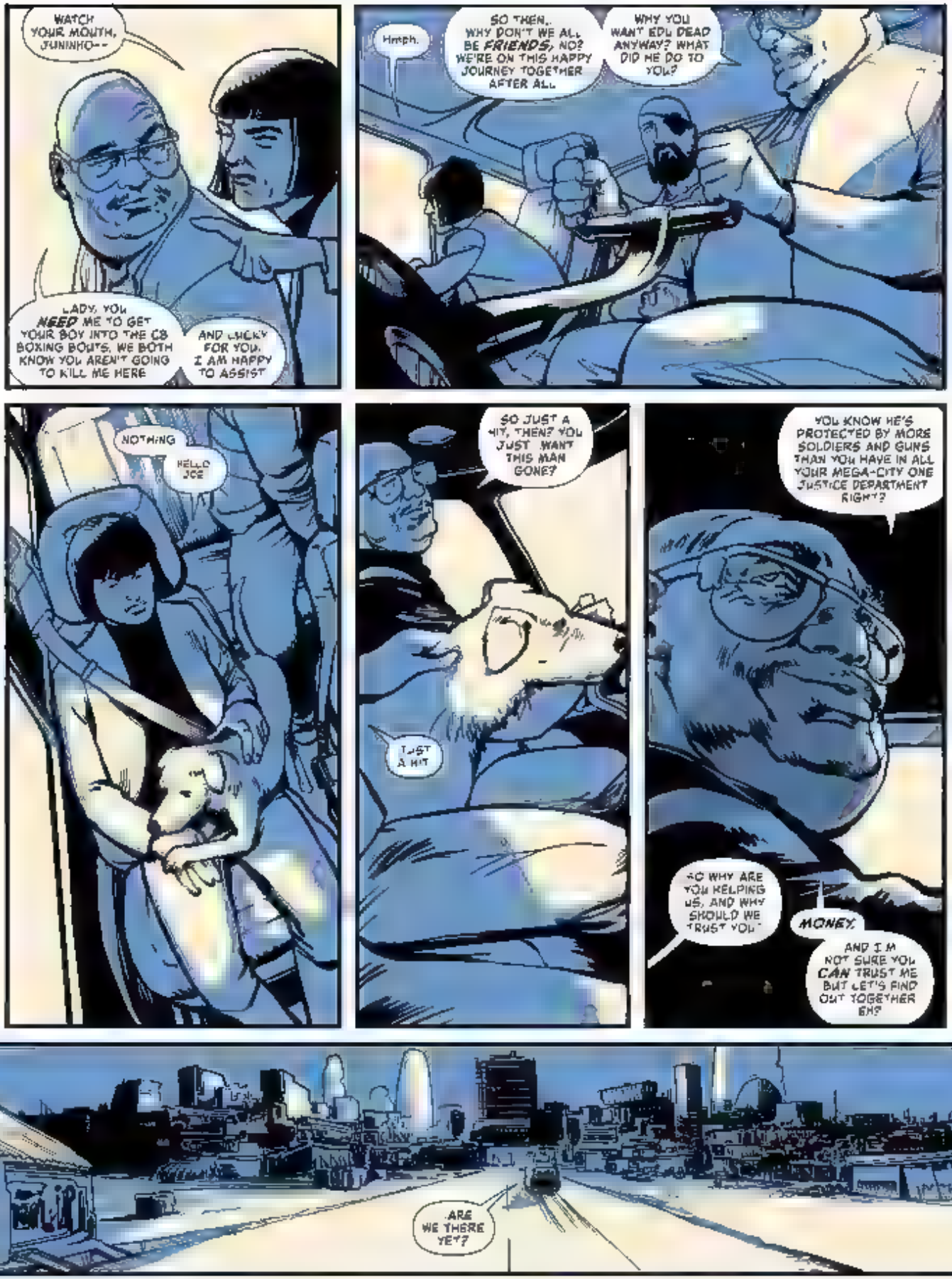
NU-CUBA--
EL DEMONIO
HEAVYWEIGHT
--OOO
COME TWO, THREE.

(HE HAS PROMISE HE WILL REPRESENT ME IN THE BARRANQUILLA BOUTS.)
(THAT'S GREAT BUT .EDU, WE SHOULD DISCUSS TERMS, YES? MAYBE CO-OWNERSHIP?)
(YOU HAVE FOUND A DIAMOND IN A CESSPOOL CONGRATULATIONS, YOUR PRIDE CAN BE YOUR PAYMENT.)
(WHAT? NO. WAIT.)
(HAVE EL DEMONIO BROUGHT TO MY BOAT.)
(WHO THE DROKK DO YOU THINK YOU ARE?)
(YOU CAN'T JUST COME HERE AND TAKE HIM. I'VE PUT YEARS INTO THIS BOY. I FED HIM. I TOOK HIM IN. HE WAS NOTHING!)
(HE BELONGS TO ME! AND I DON'T GIVE A SHIT IF YOU'RE CARTEL. YOU ARE IN NU-CUBA NOW AND WE DO BUSINESS HERE! YOU UNDERSTAND ME? YOU UNDERSTAND LOYALTY?)
(YOU COME TO CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA TO FIGHT FOR ME YOU WILL MAKE A LOT OF MONEY. GIRLS, BOYS, WHATEVER YOU WANT. LIFE CHANGING. NO MORE SHIT NO MORE THIS.)
(YOU, "EL DEMONIO YOU KNOW WHO I AM?)
(YES.)

(ALL YOU HAVE TO DO TO PROVE YOUR LOYALTY TO ME IS BEAT HIM TO DEATH.)
(RIGHT NOW.)
(MY BOAT SAVES IN THIRTY MINUTES.)
(CHOOSE QUICKLY MY FRIEND.)
ALBERTO (DON'T)
(PLEASE!)
ALBERTO!
EL DEMONIO.

CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA, OUTSKIRTS--
DIRTY FRANK IS HOT
I CAN SAY THIS TO YOU BECAUSE, YOU, I KNOW YOU UNDERSTAND.
THERE IS AN ORDER TO THINGS, THERE IS--

SURG
HEY! LADY! WE'RE ON A TIGHT SCHEDULE HERE
RESTROOM BREAK
THAT WAS QUICK. YOU WANT SOME WATER. WASH IT DOWN?
YOU GOT A POINT?
YOU KNOW HOW LONG I'VE WORKED FOR THE CARTEL?
I KNOW A JUNKIE WHEN I SEE ONE


WATCH YOUR MOUTH, JUNINHO--
LADY, YOU NEED ME TO GET YOUR BOY INTO THE CB BOXING BOUTS. WE BOTH KNOW YOU AREN'T GOING TO KILL ME HERE
AND LUCKY FOR YOU, I AM HAPPY TO ASSIST
Hmph.
SO THEN.. WHY DON'T WE ALL BE FRIENDS, NO? WE'RE ON THIS HAPPY JOURNEY TOGETHER AFTER ALL
WHY YOU WANT EDU DEAD ANYWAY? WHAT DID HE DO TO YOU?
NOTHING
HELLO JOE
SO JUST A HIT, THEN? YOU JUST WANT THIS MAN GONE?
JUST A HIT
YOU KNOW HE'S PROTECTED BY MORE SOLDIERS AND GUNS THAN YOU HAVE IN ALL YOUR MEGA-CITY ONE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT RIGHT?
SO WHY ARE YOU HELPING US, AND WHY SHOULD WE TRUST YOU?
MONEY
AND I M NOT SURE YOU CAN TRUST ME BUT LET'S FIND OUT TOGETHER EH?
ARE WE THERE YET?

CADET

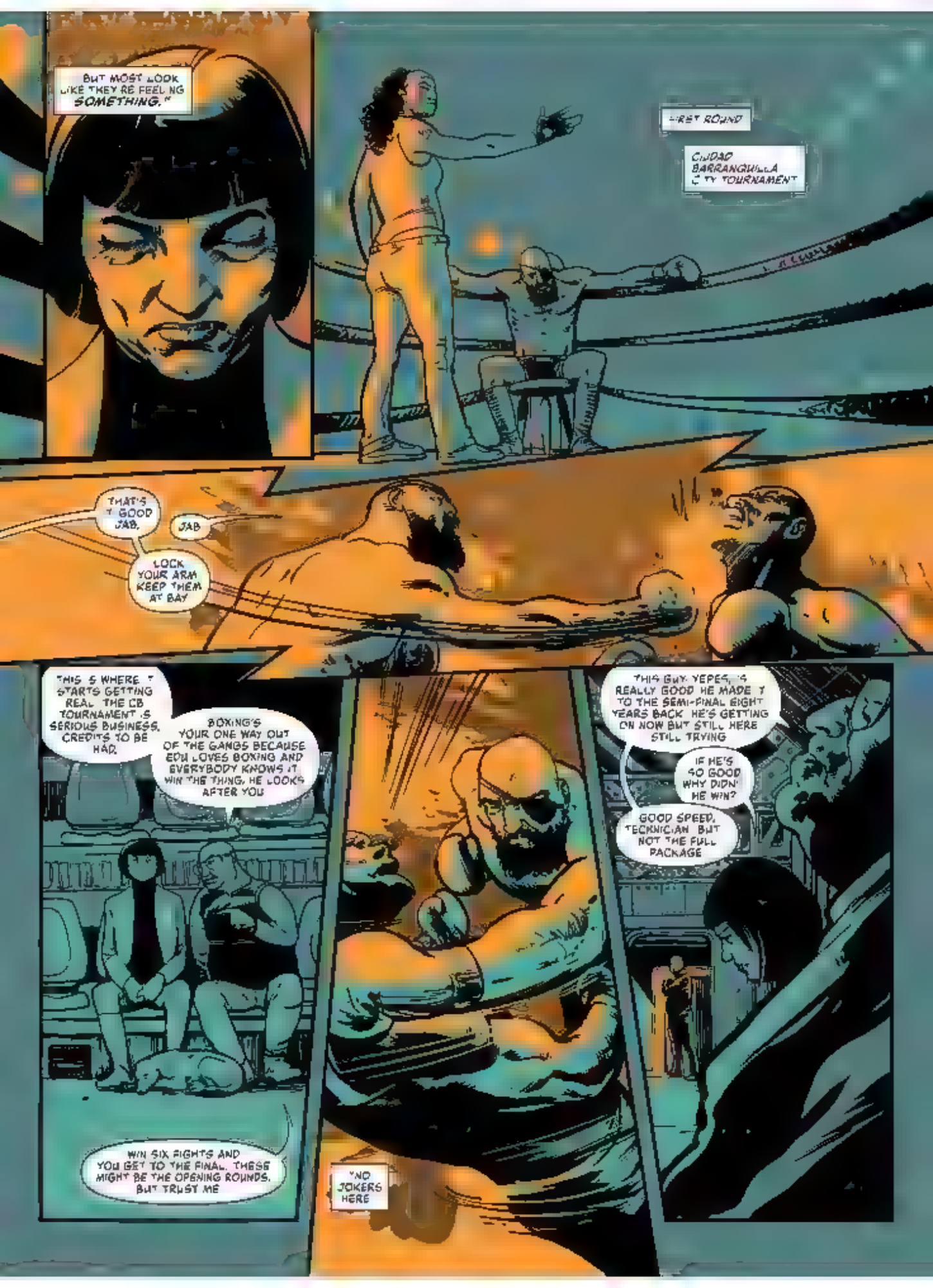
ACADEMY OF LAW
"NAME?"

HERSHEY, BARBARA

FIVE YEARS OLD.
HER PARENTS NOT HERE TO WAVE HER OFF?
ADMISSIONS

OK, CADET HERSHEY. WELCOME TO YOUR NEW HOME.
COME WITH ME AND I'LL SHOW YOU TO YOUR DORM.

THEY USUALLY LOOK SCARED.
YEAH A FEW LOOK EXCITED.


BUT MOST LOOK LIKE THEY RE FEEL NG SOMETHING."
-RST ROUND
CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA C TY TOURNAMENT
THAT'S Y GOOD JAB.
JAB
LOCK YOUR ARM KEEP THEM AT BAY
THIS S WHERE Y STARTS GETTING REAL THE CB TOURNAMENT S SERIOUS BUSINESS. CREDITS TO BE HAD.
BOXING'S YOUR ONE WAY OUT OF THE GANGS BECAUSE EDU LOVES BOXING AND EVERYBODY KNOWS IT WIN THE THING, HE LOOKS AFTER YOU
WIN SIX FIGHTS AND YOU GET TO THE FINAL. THESE MIGHT BE THE OPENING ROUNDS, BUT TRUST ME
"NO JOKERS HERE
THIS GUY YEPES, S REALLY GOOD HE MADE Y TO THE SEMI-FINAL EIGHT YEARS BACK HE'S GETTING ON NOW BUT STILL HERE STILL TRYING
IF HE'S SO GOOD WHY DIDN' HE WIN?
GOOD SPEED, TECKNICIAN BUT NOT THE FULL PACKAGE

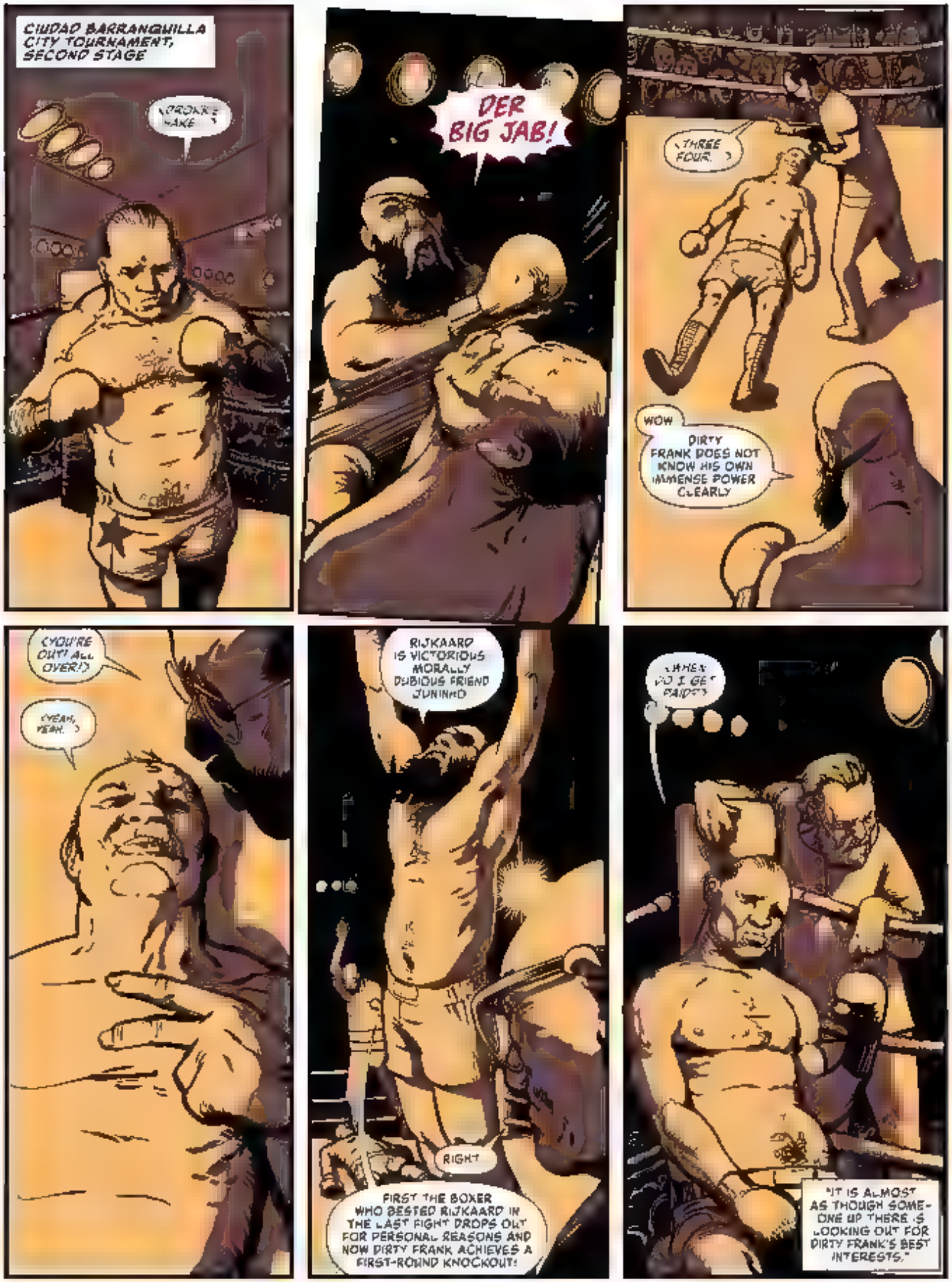
"HE DOESN'T HAVE THE KILLER PUNCH."
KRAK
ENOUGH.
YOU WANT TO CALL IT? THAT NOSE LOOKS--
NO.
YOUR DECISION. CONTINUE
OKAY. WHAT YOU WERE DOING BEFORE ISN'T WORKING, HERSHEY
YOU HEAR ME?
THAK
DEFEND YOURSELF DAMMIT
THAT'S IT ALL OVER
BACK OFF, TIERNEY. WE'RE DONE.
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
YOU WANT TO TAKE A BEATING HERE OR SOMETHING?

YOU'RE DOING WELL AHEAD ON POINTS
DIRTY FRANK S EXHAUSTED
I THOUGHT YOUR NAME 4 R.J'KAARD"
R.J'KAARD IS EXHAUSTED TOO
REMEMBER-- JAB! USE YOUR REACH, KEEP HIM AWAY FROM YOU.
EXCE LENT ADVICE
JAB
JAB
JAB
JAB
WHY IS HE SAYING T OUT LOUD?
THAT'S T' GOOD HIT, R J'KAARD
DON'T DON T GET IN CLOSE
"DON T GET IN TOO CLOSE!"

YOU'RE HERSHEY?
YES, MA'AM.
MY NAME'S QUILL
YOUR TUTORS TELL ME YOU'RE VERY GOOD AT THIS SIDE OF YOUR LEARNING A BRILLIANT STUDENT A FLAIR FOR JUDGEMENT
"TOO SOFT FOR THE STREET", THOUGH "NOT GOING TO PASS." "WOULD GET KILLED FIRST WEEK IN THE WHITE HELMET"
I I CAN GET BETTER AT THE PHYSICAL.
IT'S NOT YOU, RIGHT? JUST NOT WHO YOU ARE? YOU'RE BRAIN, NOT BRAWN AND ALWAYS WILL BE YOU CAN'T JUST BECOME SOMETHING YOU'RE NOT?
YES.
LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING IMPORTANT HERSHEY
WHEN WE PU THE UNIFORM ON WE ARE JUDGES WE ALL LOOK IDENTICAL
NO ONE NEEDS TO KNOW WHO THE PERSON INSIDE
HERSHEY

JAB. JAB. JAB. PUNCHY. PUNCHY.
HE'S FORGOTTEN EVERYTHING HE TALKED ABOUT LEAVING HIMSELF WIDE OPEN
BIG PUNCHY! REALLY BIG PUNCHY! MASSIVE BIG--
THAK
"YEPES FOUND HIS KILLER PUNCH.
"THAT'S THE END OF THAT, THEN."
HEY WHAT THE DROKK ?!
YOU RUN THIS PLACE?
I RUN THIS PLACE NOW
ARE YOU OUT OF YOUR MIND?!
YES.
YOU LOOK SCARED.

HE'LL LIVE
HE DIED.
I DON'T ?
ALL RECORDS WILL SHOW THAT HE DIED, DO YOU UNDERSTAND? CHIEF JUDGE'S ORDER
THIS IS A CITY SECURITY ISSUE. DISOBEY ME ON THIS AND I'LL HAVE YOU TRANSFERRED TO SOME SECTOR 304 SHITHEAP
SUICIDE, FRANK?
A TERRIBLE SIN.

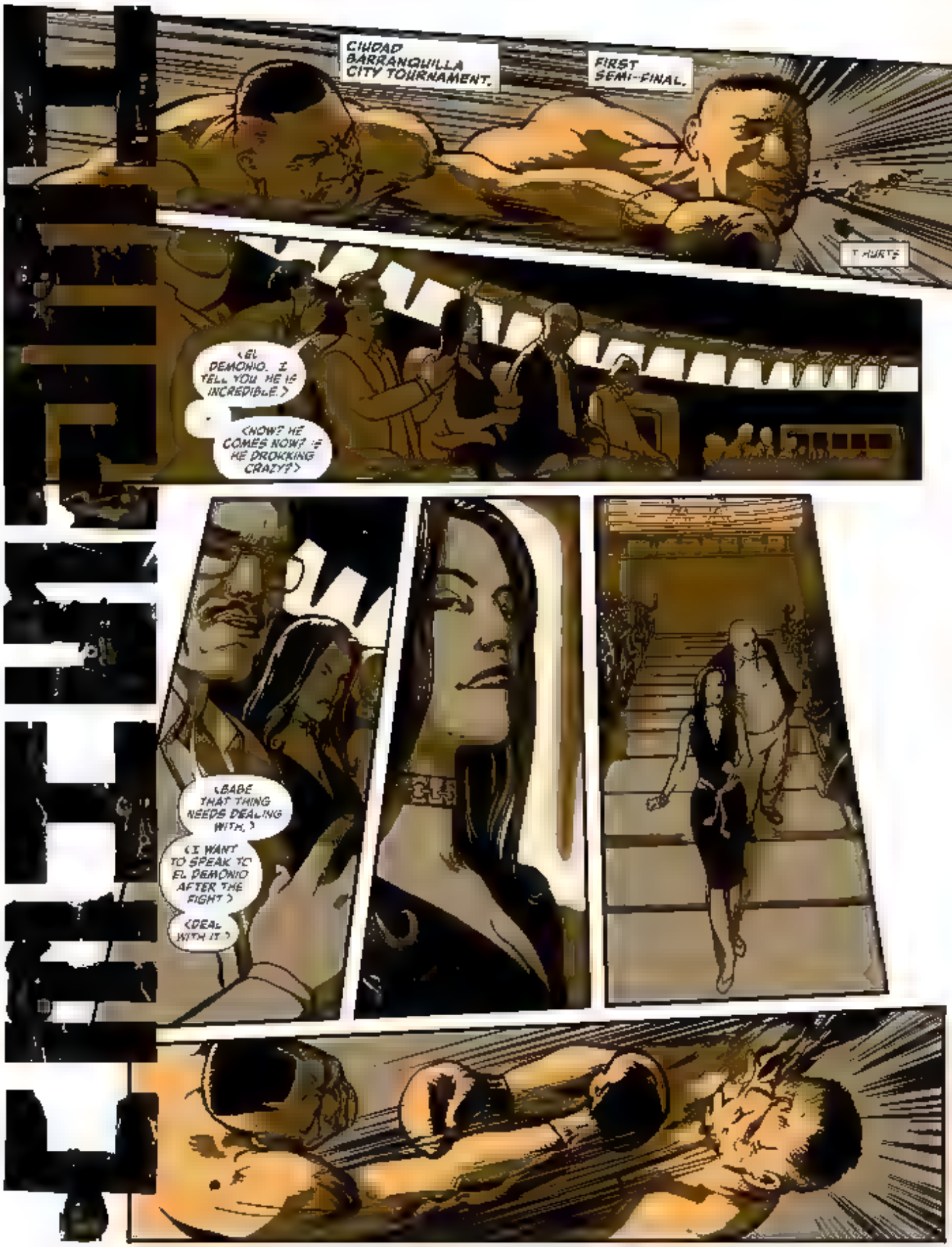

CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA CITY TOURNAMENT, SECOND STAGE
"BROKE MAKE"
DER BIG JAB!
"THREE FOUR."
WOW
DIRTY FRANK DOES NOT KNOW HIS OWN IMMENSE POWER CLEARLY
"YOU'RE OUT! ALL OVER!"
"YEAH, YEAH."
RIJKAARD IS VICTORIOUS MORALLY DUBIOUS FRIEND JUNIHO
RIGHT
FIRST THE BOXER WHO BESTED RIJKAARD IN THE LAST FIGHT DROPS OUT FOR PERSONAL REASONS AND NOW DIRTY FRANK ACHIEVES A FIRST-ROUND KNOCKOUT!
"HMM. SO I GET PAID?"
"IT IS ALMOST AS THOUGH SOMEONE UP THERE IS LOOKING OUT FOR DIRTY FRANK'S BEST INTERESTS."

YOU LOOK RELAXED.
YES.
Hm. THIS IS AN ORGANISATION, YOU KNOW. NOT UNLIKE YOUR OLD ONE.
SOMEONE UP THE CHAIN WILL HEAR ABOUT YOU FRIGHTENING THE DROKK OUT OF LOCAL BOSSES WITH YOUR MAGIC MURDERHAND
THE LOCAL BOSS WON'T WANT TO ADMIT HE GOT HIS BALLS HANDED TO HIM BY A WOMAN.
I PAID OFF FRANK'S LAST OPPONENT AS PER YOUR ORDERS. I PAID THE MAN WHO KNOCKED FRANK OUT TO GO AWAY. MY FACE IS KNOWN.
THEY WILL TAKE ME APART BY THE JOINTS WHILE I'M ALIVE
YOU'RE TAKING A VERY SERIOUS RISK HELPING US
YOU'RE OLD AND BURNT OUT AND THE BIG CITY IS A YOUNG CREEP'S GAME
MAYBE YOU WERE SOMETHING ONCE UPON A TIME BUT WHEN I FOUND YOU YOU'D BEEN BANISHED TO BOSSING SOME COUNTRY DUSTBOWL TWO-MUTIE CHICKEN TOWN.
THEY FORGOT ABOUT YOU. PATRONISED YOU. THAT GOT IN YOUR GUT
I'VE GIVEN YOU A LATE-IN-LIFE CHANCE FOR A COMEBACK, JUNINHO. YOU'RE WELCOME

OKAY, LET'S SAY YOUR RIDICULOUS PLAN WORKS AND YOU GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO EDU TO PUT A BULLET IN HIM.
THIS CITY WOULD BE YOURS. EITHER YOU RUN IT OR YOU CREATE A VACUUM THAT SOME EVEN WORSE SCUMBAG WILL FILL
HISTORY SHOWS THAT IF THE AMERICANS WHACK A LEADER SOMEWHERE SOUTH OF TEXAS, THAT COUNTRY USUALLY SLIDES EVEN FURTHER TO HELL AFTERWARDS.
YOU WANT TO MAKE EDU PAY FOR HIS MANY CRIMES? SURE. CB IS BUILT ON REVENGE.
BUT IF YOU'RE TRYING TO CHANGE THE WORLD FOR THE BETTER YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO STAY HERE AND RULE THIS PLACE
AND YOU DON'T STRIKE ME AS A PARTICULARLY BENEVOLENT RULER
HELLO, HAIRY JOSEPH.
HIS NAME'S JOE
DID JUNINHO TELL YOU? RIJKAARD WON!
YOU DON'T NEED TO PRETEND TO BE RIJKAARD ANYMORE.
RIJKAARD WON WITH DER BIG FIRST ROUND KNOCKOUT. DIRTY FRANK IS GETTING BETTER, HERSHEY! HE MIGHT ACTUALLY BE GOOD AT THIS!
WE PAID THE BUM OFF, FRANK.
YOU'RE NOT GOOD.

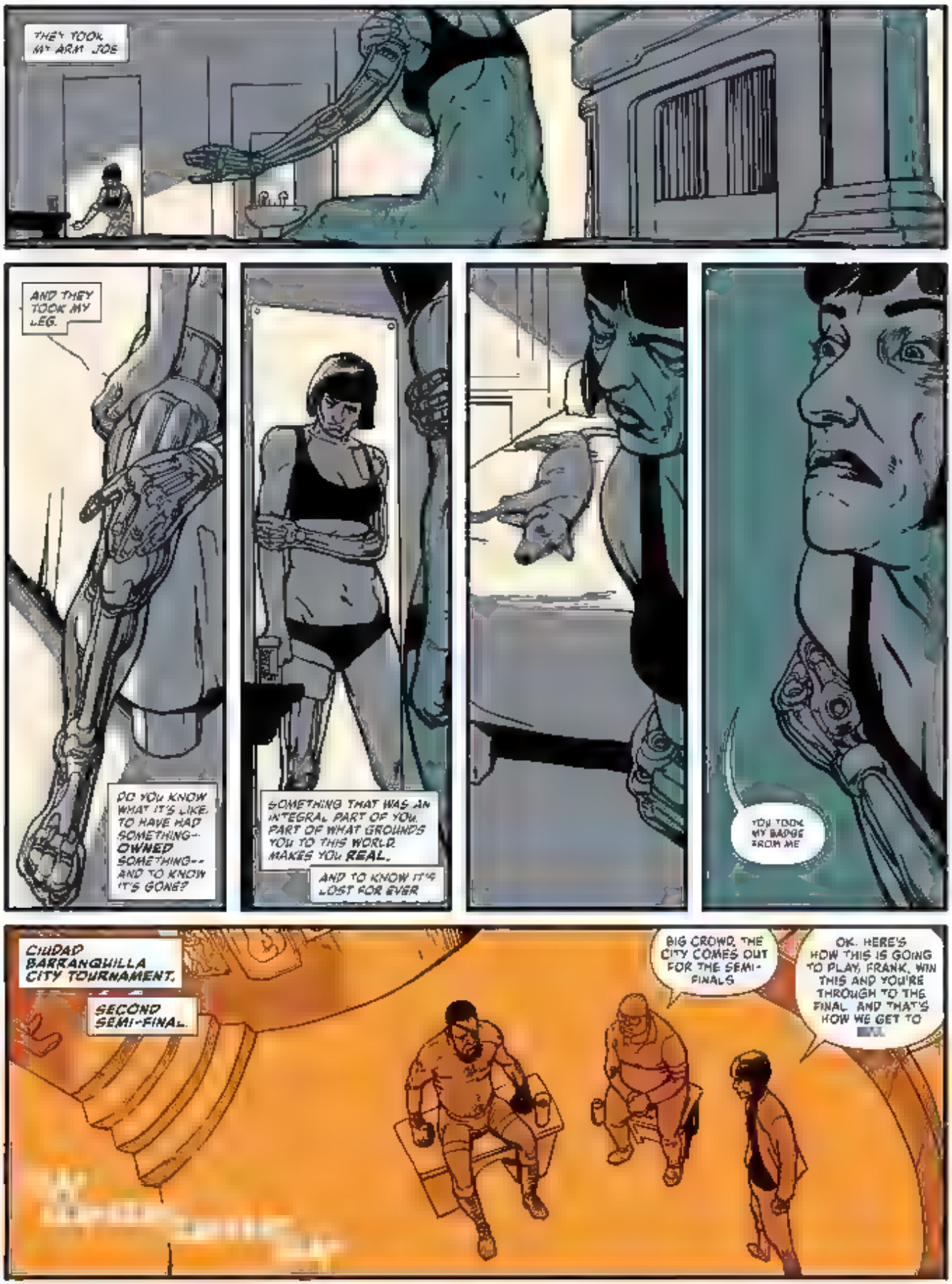
THIS IS INSANE
HERSHEY THOUGHT DIRTY FRANK WAS INSANE
HILARIOUS AND WHACKY AND--
YOU THINK MENTAL ILLNESS IS FUNNY?
I DON'T KNOW
4 Y?
YOU TELL ME
DON'T YOU DARE JUDGE ME!
I OUT-RANK YOU, FRANK, REMEMBER?
YOU'RE DYING AND YOU'RE LOST WITHOUT THE BADGE. YOU HAVE NO IDEA WHO YOU ARE NOW!
AND YOU'VE GOT NOWHERE TO PUT ALL THAT SO YOU'RE JUST FOLLOWING THIS BULLSHIT SMILEY TRAIL BECAUSE Y MEANS YOU CAN HURT PEOPLE INSTEAD!
I MEAN, WHY DID YOU BRING ME WITH YOU ANYWAY? WHY ME FOR GRUD'S SAKE?
BECAUSE YOU WERE DREDD'S.

BUT NOW YOU'RE MINE.
MY GOD
YOU'RE IN THE QUARTER FINALS NOW, FRANK. TWO MORE FIGHTS TO GET TO THE FINAL. TO EDH.
YOU'RE ANGRY WITH ME? TAKE IT OUT ON THEM "
CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA CITY TOURNAMENT, QUARTER FINAL


CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA CITY TOURNAMENT.
FIRST SEMI-FINAL.
I HURT!
<EL DEMONIO. I TELL YOU HE IS INCREDIBLE.>
<NOW? HE COMES NOW? IS HE BROCKING CRAZY?>
<BABE THAT THING NEEDS DEALING WITH.>
<I WANT TO SPEAK TO EL DEMONIO AFTER THE FIGHT.>
<DEAL WITH IT.>
FIGHT

‹MARCO. WHAT IS THIS?›
‹ZAGALLO ›THIS IS MY DAUGHTER. I WANTED YOU TO MEET HER ›
‹SMART GIRL. TOUGH. HER NAME IS MARIANA. I KNOW I TOOK THE CREDITS BUT I'VE ALMOST GOT IT ALL BACK. I SWEAR. IN THE MEANTIME ›
‹I THOUGHT PERHAPS SHE COULD WORK FOR YOU AND EDU?›
‹SHE'S PRETTY.›
‹I SWEAR ›
‹A MAN WHO'D SELL HIS OWN DAUGHTER IS A MAN WHOSE WORD MEANS NOTHING ›
BDAM

(GET RID OF HIM.)
(OF COURSE.)
(WHAT SHOULD I DO WITH THE GIRL?)
(I DON'T CARE.)
HURTS


THEY TOOK MY ARM JOE
AND THEY TOOK MY LEG.
DO YOU KNOW WHAT IT'S LIKE, TO HAVE HAD SOMETHING-- OWNED SOMETHING-- AND TO KNOW IT'S GONE?
SOMETHING THAT WAS AN INTEGRAL PART OF YOU. PART OF WHAT GROUNDS YOU TO THIS WORLD. MAKES YOU REAL.
AND TO KNOW IT'S LOST FOR EVER
YOU TOOK MY BADGE FROM ME
CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA CITY TOURNAMENT.
SECOND SEMI-FINAL.
BIG CROWD, THE CITY COMES OUT FOR THE SEMI-FINALS
OK. HERE'S HOW THIS IS GOING TO PLAY, FRANK. WIN THIS AND YOU'RE THROUGH TO THE FINAL. AND THAT'S HOW WE GET TO

FRANK TRAINED REALLY WELL THE WAY HE BOXED IN THE QUARTER-FINALS, THAT WAS GENUINELY IMPRESSIVE
HE'S A MEGA-CITY JUDGE IT SHOULDN'T BE A SURPRISE
GET THROUGH TO THE FINAL AND EDU WILL ATTEND THE PARTY AFTERWARDS. HE LIKES TO MEET THE BOXERS.
WE'LL BE AT THE PARTY AS YOUR TRAINERS
NO WEAPONS ALLOWED ANYWHERE NEAR EDU HE HAS A SMALL ARMY PROTECTING HIM. HEAVILY ARMED MUSCLE
DON'T WORRY ABOUT WEAPONS. I'VE GOT THAT COVERED. I JUST NEED TO GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO TOUCH HIM
THERE'S A LOT MORE OF THEM THAN THERE IS OF YOU--
DIRTY FRANK IS NOT DOING IT
WHAT?
EDU IS A CRIMINAL
HE CAUSES SUFFERING, HE IS A CANCER, HE NEEDS TO BE IN A CUBE FOR A LONG TIME JUSTICE HE DESERVES.
BUT THIS PLAN, EVERYTHING ABOUT IT...
IT IS MURDER.

ARE YOU CRAZY? THE FIGHT'S ABOUT TO START! YOU KNOW HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE HERE?
RE-TAPE THOSE GLOVES.
THIS IS OUR PLAN.
H.Y.S WITHOUT JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SANCTION?
THAT IS WHAT SMILEY DID.
ARE YOU OUT OF YOUR DROKKING MIND? DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHO IS OUT THERE RIGHT NOW? ALL THE FAMILIES! THE CAPTAINS!
I'M THE ONE WHO BROUGHT YOU HERE! THEY KNOW MY NAME. EDO WILL USE MY SKULL AS A DROKKING ASHTRAY!
THEN COME WITH ME NOW. I'M GETTING OUT OF HERE
I'M WARNING YOU
A THREAT HERSHEY?
I'M GIVING YOU AN ORDER.
NO
YOU'RE NOT CHIEF JUDGE
NOT ANY MORE

CLEAN.
THERE IS AN ORDER TO THINGS.
ATTENTION, PLEASE!

WHAT'S THIS?
ATTENTION
IS ME CRAZY?
YEA
EDU!
FOR MULTIPLE CRIMES INCLUDING MURDER! NARCOTICS PRODUCTION AND SMUGGLING! PEOPLE TRAFFIKING! KIDNAPPING! EXTORTION! EMBEZZLEMENT!
YOU ARE UNDER ARREST!
IS THIS A TOKEN?
HEY, JUNINHO! THAT'S YOUR BOXER RIGHT?
UH, NO, NOT MINE
OKAY, THEN
EL DEMONIO

YOU WANT TO DIE, FRANK?
FINE LET'S GO DIE
I AM A MEGA-CITY JUDGE!
AND HE AIN'T ALONE
THIS IS A RAID! YOU'RE ALL UNDER ARREST!
<JUDGES!>
WHAT?
<GET HIM TO THE PENTHOUSE! GO!>
<IT'S A RAID!>

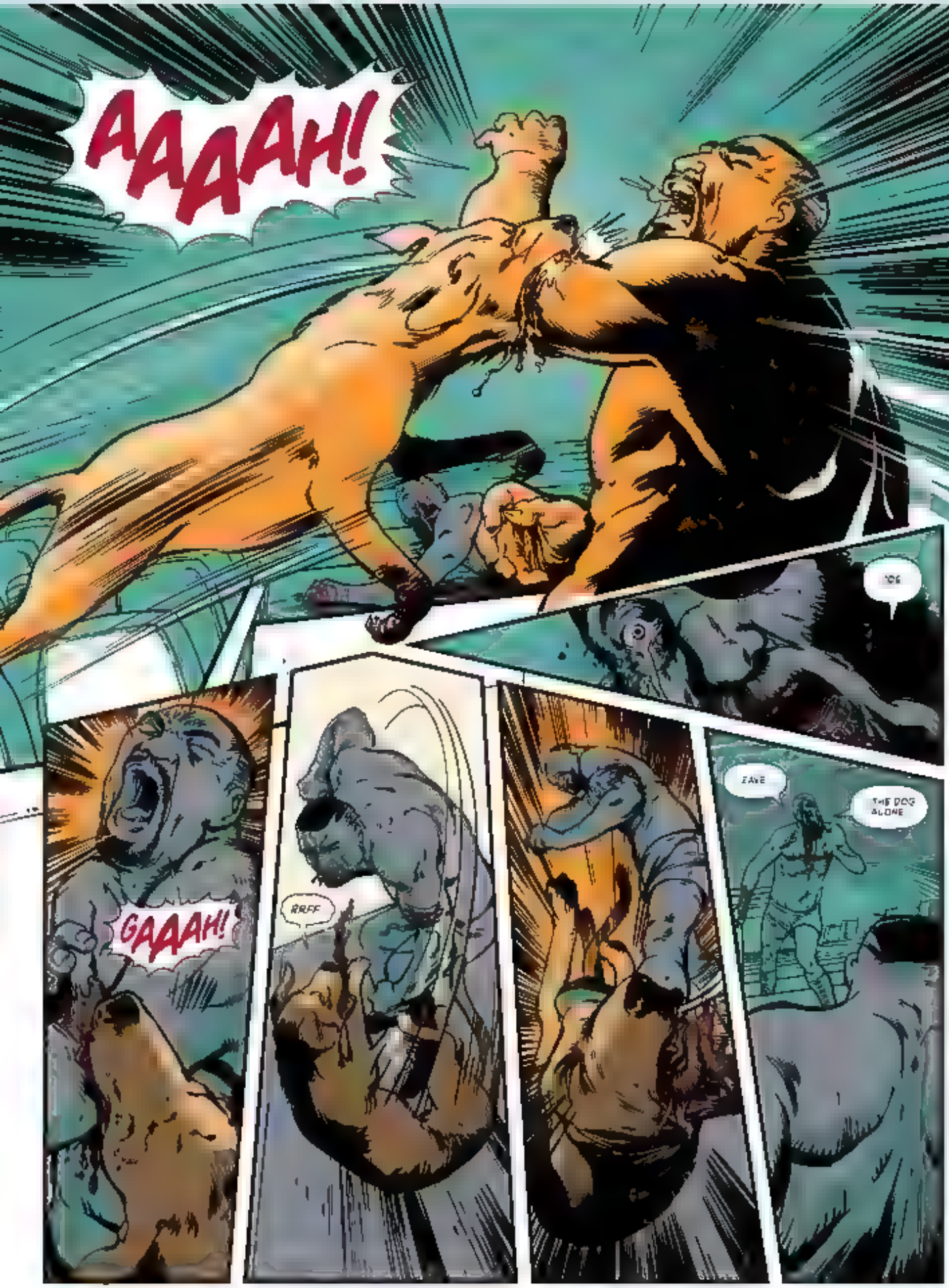
YOU CAN'T MAKE ME
I WON'T DO IT
EXIT
YES. GOOD.

THANK YOU

AKK!
I'LL KILL YOU!
DO YOU KNOW WHO I
YES
I'LL DROKKING KILL YOU--
NO
I SENTENCE YOU TO DEATH
FOR YOUR CRIMES AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF-
A JUDGE? WELL WELL
ISN'T THIS INTERESTING?

THERE ARE SO MANY WAYS OF TAKING VENGEANCE ON THE WORLD
NO DON'T TURN AROUND
YOU SHOOT ME MY ARM MUSCLE TWITCHES AND YOUR BOYFRIEND HERE
HE'S NOT MY BOYFRIEND
(ZAGELLA, GET HER GUN OUT OF MY FACE! NOW!)

DID YOU HEAR WHAT I SAID?
A MEGA-CITY JUDGE WITH A PROSTHETIC WEAPON. WE HEARD SMILEY WAS DEAD BUT WE SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER.
HE FUNDED YOU--
HE WANTED THE OLD REGIME OF CIUDAD BARRANQUILLA GONE. WE WOULD TAKE OVER AND FUNNEL CASH BACK TO HIS DEPARTM--
AH. INTERESTING. YOU DON'T WORK FOR SMILEY.
WHO DO YOU WORK FOR?
"OR PERHAPS THIS IS PERSONAL?"
YOU TRYING TO GET KILLED IN THERE?
YOU'VE BEEN TRYING TO FIND WAYS TO DIE SINCE YOU LEFT MEGA-CITY ONE.
GIVE ME ONE REASON WHY EITHER OF US SHOULD STAY ALIVE?
I CAN'T


AAAAH!
YOU
GAAAH!
RRFF
SAVE
THIS DOG ALONE

BLAM
COME ON
CAN'T WALK
HELP US
OKAY
HOW DOES THIS SAY OUT
YOU DIDN'T COME HERE TO ARREST HIM. YOU KNOW YOU DON'T STAND A CHANCE OF GETTING HIM OUT OF HERE TO STAND TRIAL
YOU'RE NO JUDGE
YOU'RE AN ASSASSIN.

DON'T
(WHAT ARE YOU DOING?)
LETTING JUSTICE HAPPEN
PLEASE...
I SURRENDER

SHOW MERCY.
FRANK! WE HAVE TO GO! NOW!
HE DIDN'T DESERVE
WE GO NOW OR WE DIE!
DO YOU WANT TO DIE FRANK? BECAUSE I DON'T. I WOULD LIKE TO LIVE.
I SAID DO YOU WANT TO--
NO
COME ON.
WE'RE GETTING OUT OF HERE.
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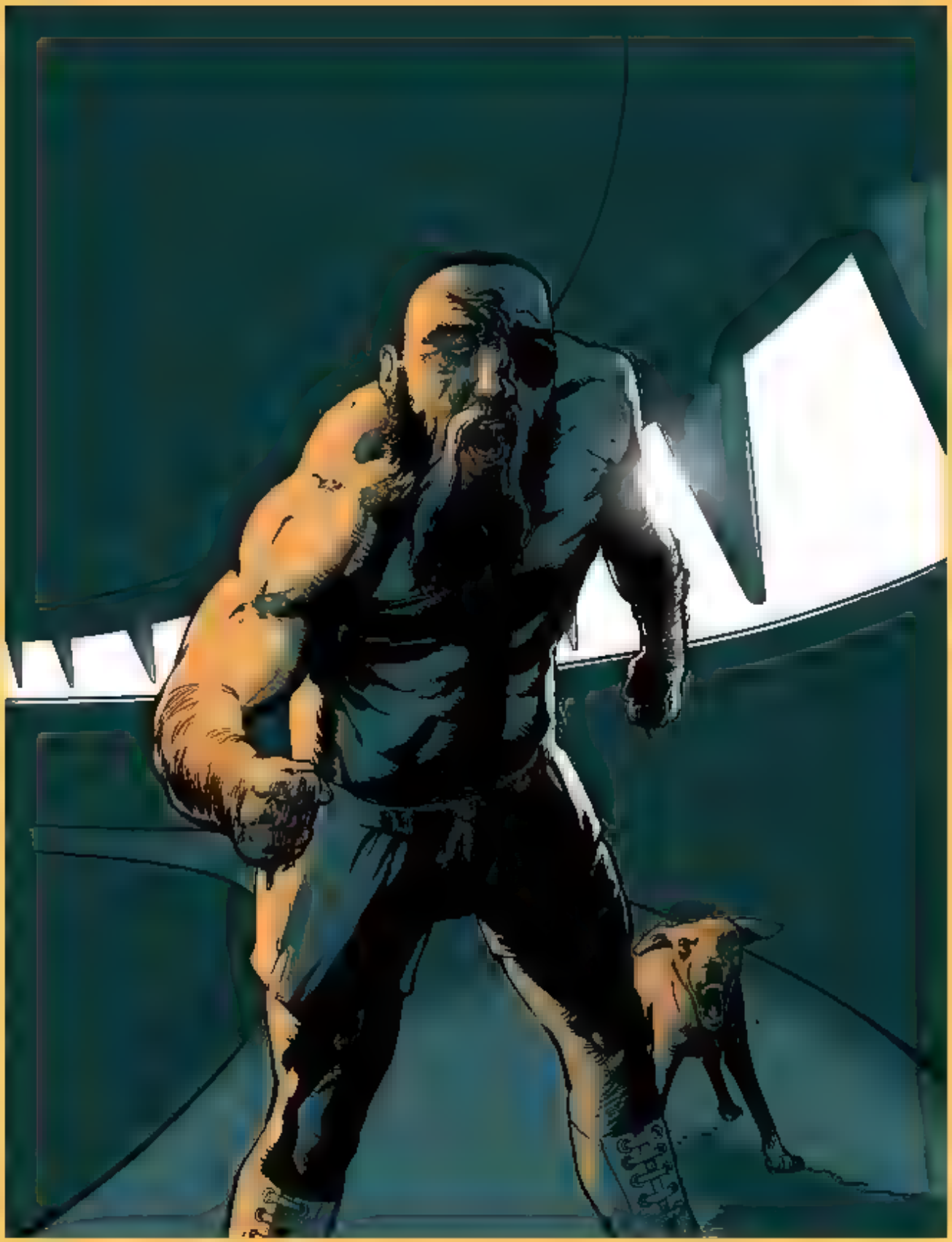

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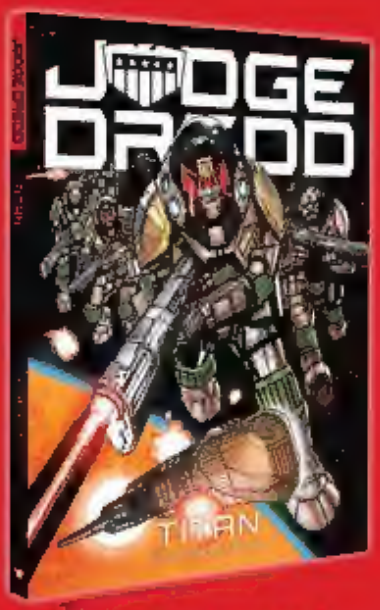

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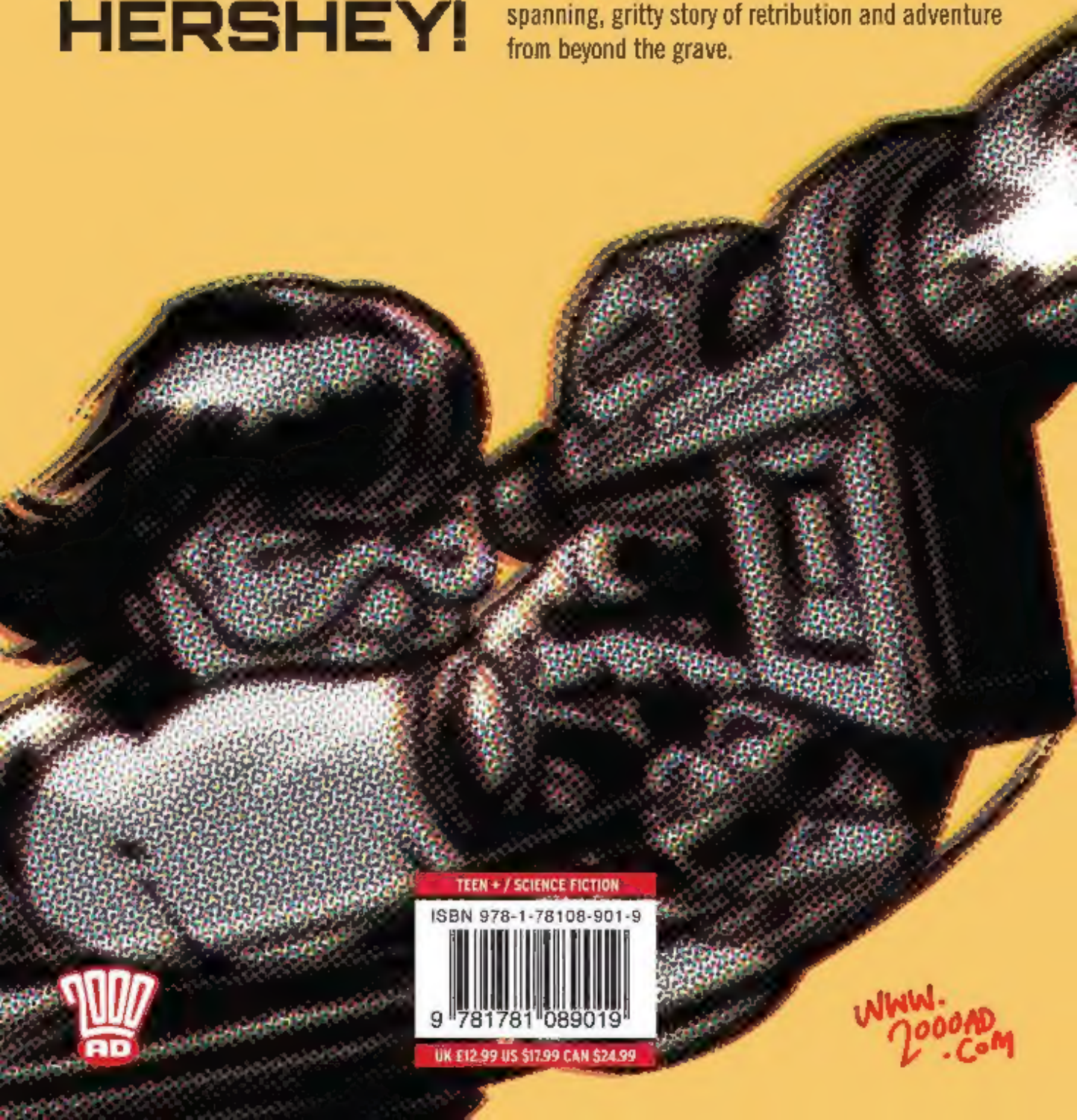

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